EMERGENCY CALLS

	Fires	Police
Victoria	G 1122	G 4111
Esquimalt (night)	E 3112	G 3546
Oak Bay	E 3321	G 3311
Saanich	G 2322	G 4168
Provincial Police (night)		E 1116

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Soviets Crack Enemy Lines; Nazis Now Face Major Defeat

Germans Growing Nervous Over Gigantic Assaults

LONDON, May 9 (Sunday) (AP).—Russian troops pouring through an elaborate defence belt girding Novorossisk today threatened to inflict a staggering defeat on Axis Caucasus forces and produce another debacle in quick succession to the Allied triumph in Tunisia.

The midnight Moscow communique recorded by the Soviet monitor disclosed that a co-ordinated Russian infantry, artillery and air offensive had smashed an intricate German network of pillboxes, dugouts and other well-prepared fortifications within nine miles of the key port.

Furious German resistance was overwhelmed in this steady advance which aimed to throw the Axis troops into the Black Sea and recover the narrow fringe of the Taman Peninsula opposite the Crimea.

Russian airmen, many flying American planes, and Red artillery paved the way for the assaulting infantry beating at the outer doors of Novorossisk, former home of the Soviet Black Sea Fleet. The bulletin said twenty-one German planes were shot down at a cost of nine Russian aircraft.

Another Moscow announcement recorded by the Soviet monitor disclosed the proportions of the Russian aerial offensive. It said that on Friday the Red airmen destroyed or damaged 190 German planes compared to sixty-two Soviet craft lost.

German dispatches reflected a growing nervousness over the mighty Russian onslaught. The High Command in Berlin claimed earlier that the Russians had been repulsed in "violent hand-to-hand fighting" northeast of Novorossisk, but acknowledged that the Russian power was increasing.

Late last night the Berlin radio in a broadcast recorded by Reuter's indicated that Red Army amphibious forces now are entering the struggle. The German station said 300 troop barges had pushed into the lush

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De Valera Stresses Friendship Need

LIMERICK, Eire, May 8 (AP).—Prime Minister Eamon de Valera, opening the Government Party election campaign today, urged the retention of a strong administration and stressed the necessity of amicable relations with Great Britain. He said all quarrels between Britain and Ireland had been removed "with the exception of one outstanding matter" (presumably the Northern Ireland question). De Valera said he believed "statesmanship in Ireland and Britain would bring about a solution of that remaining quarrel also." He did not amplify.

Output to Be Greater Than Ever

Canada to Increase Escort Ship Building

(Special to The Colonist)

OTTAWA, May 8.—When Canada's new programme of war production, for which extensive preparations are now under way, gets into full swing, the Dominion's output will be greater than ever and will require the country's full resources in labor and material, it is indicated by heads of the Munitions and Supply Department and the Labor Department.

While plans for the major change-over in the Dominion's war industrial output are still in the tentative stage, it is obvious that temporary unemployment of workers will result in a considerable scale in many parts of Canada. National Selective Service and Munitions authorities are planning to hold the labor dislocation to the minimum. At the same time the shuffle in arms and munitions output will be effected with greatest possible speed in order to meet the new needs rapidly.

Biggest feature of the major changes planned will probably be slackening of gun and munitions production and an increase in building of naval escort vessels, cargo ships and airplanes. Making of tanks in Canada has already been discontinued and big plants formerly engaged on this work will soon be turning out large and small parts equipment of freighters, warships and planes.

TACKLED WITH ENERGY, FORETHOUGHT

The virtual revolution in industrial war output will be the biggest development in Canadian industry since the Dominion's great war production network was built up. The problem is being tackled with the same energy and forethought that brought such amazing results in armament and munitions manufacture during the first three and a half years of the war.

Until the needs of China, Russia and other United Nations are ascertained and transportation ar-

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French Cry And Cheer At Bizerte

Americans Find Big Seaport in Ruins

By HAROLD V. BOYLE

BIZERTE, Tunisia, May 8 (AP).—American tankmen who led the triumphant march into this great Mediterranean seaport Friday had to remove the flowers strewn on their vehicles by the happy French inhabitants before they could fire at a few German guns which challenged them from the opposite side of the city.

"The French people still in the town told our men the Germans left three-day time-bombs in some places," said Lieutenant Stuart Nixon, of 116 N. New Hampshire Street, Los Angeles, behind whose reconnaissance half-track this writer rode in a jeep to the outskirts of the city where we were halted by artillery fire.

"It looks like hell itself," said Captain Richard L. Downing, of Norman, Okla., signal officer who entered the city in the first jeep to follow the armored column. With him was Corporal Irving S. Stake, of Worcester, Mass.

"The town is in ruins and looks blasted to pieces," Downing said. "It

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U.S. Senators Revise Plan

Ride Roughshod Over Own Leaders

WASHINGTON, May 8 (AP).—Riding roughshod over the opposition of Treasury experts and its own leaders, the Senate Finance Committee voted thirteen to seven approval today of a Ruml-flavored "pay-as-you-go" tax bill, excusing either the 1942 or 1943 taxes—whichever is lower—of all persons with net incomes.

Five Democrats combined with eight Republicans to send to the Senate floor a revised version of the Ruml-Carlson measure which was rejected by a four-vote margin in the House and called "inequitable" by Randolph Paul, Treasury general counsel.

The amended bill came out of the committee over the futile opposition of Democratic Leader Barkley, of Kentucky, and Chairman George (D.-Ga.). Members said it was the first time in many years a majority had overruled both the Democratic leader and the chairman on revenue legislation.

George expressed hope that Senate debate would begin Tuesday or Wednesday. He said he expected passage of the measure in some form by next week-end but would not predict how long it would take to compose differences with the House, where Rep. Doughton (D.-N.C.), chairman of the House conferees, opposes the principles involved in the Senate bill.

The House, after rejecting the Ruml-Carlson bill, passed the Forand-Robertson measure excusing the 6 per cent normal tax and 12 per cent first bracket surtax, thus providing abatement for only a part instead of virtually all taxpayers as does the Senate bill.

Victoria Buyers Respond Slowly To Loan Appeal

Greater Halifax kept its lead of more than one and one-half million dollars over Greater Victoria in subscriptions to the Fourth Victory Loan, it was announced by loan headquarters here last night. The Maritime city has raised $5,904,450 to date.

With only one week left in the inter-city loan competition, and Canadian-wide campaign, purchasers of the Greater Victoria area must subscribe another $2,760,950 to the loan to meet the quota of $7,080,000. Total subscriptions are $4,319,050.

Detailed returns from Vancouver Island centres are as follows:

	Received	Full Quota	Amt. Still to Raise
Victoria	$2,598,950	$4,100,000	$1,501,050
Saanich	570,200	1,075,000	504,800
Oak Bay	699,450	1,195,000	495,550
Esquimalt	341,350	600,000	258,650
Cowichan	229,400	600,000	370,600
Courtenay	194,500	406,000	211,500
Nanaimo	402,650	714,000	311,350
Alberni	274,900	620,000	345,100
Totals	$5,302,500	$10,500,000	$5,997,500

Steel Workers Against Lewis

CHICAGO, May 8 (AP).—Representatives of about 100,000 C.I.O. steel workers in the Chicago area loudly approved a resolution denouncing John L. Lewis today, while their national president, Philip Murray, renewed his pledge that steel workers would not strike until the war was won.

"Poor administration and lack of control of prices have created national confusion," he said. "American labor wants no special privileges during the war. It is making sacrifices. But it demands equality of sacrifice in the United States of America.

"And no one should be permitted to get rich at the expense of the national war effort. A man that gets rich in this war is just as dirty, just as filthy, just as reprehensible as the dirtiest Japanese our soldiers have to fight."

Japanese Take New Positions

NEW DELHI, India, May 8 (AP).—Japanese forces advancing despite substantial casualties have occupied new positions threatening the British lines in the Buthedaung area of Western Burma, the British announced today.

Both R.A.F. and American bombers meanwhile pounded Japanese installations and troop concentrations in Burma.

Enemy Bombers Over England

LONDON, May 8 (AP).—The Air and Home Ministries issued this communique tonight:

Early this morning some six enemy bombers crossed the southeast and east coast of England. Three or four of them approached the London area.

Bombs were dropped at a few places in Essex, Hertfordshire and Kent, causing little damage.

A small number of people were injured.

Two of the enemy bombers were destroyed.

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General Tours Western Desert

General Sir Henry Maitland Wilson, the New Commander-in-Chief, Middle East, Recently Made an Extensive Tour of Units in the Western Desert. Here He Is Met at Tmimi by a Major-General.

All Russia Hails Triumph of Allied Forces in Tunisia

MOSCOW, May 8 (AP).—The fall of Tunis and Bizerte was hailed enthusiastically in Moscow and raised fresh hopes for the early opening of a second front in Europe. The radio gave the first news of the United Nations victory in Africa and newspapers followed with stories of the crushing defeat for the Axis. Lines before newsstands were sometimes more than a block long and Red Army men were prominent in the lines.

The Moscow radio and Tass News Agency distributed the news to every province so that by nightfall all the millions in Russia will know the story.

In general conversation the fate of the Axis Army in Tunisia was compared with that of the Hitler divisions trapped and slashed to pieces by the Russians before Stalingrad.

Vermashev, writing in the Government newspaper Izvestia, expressed the opinion "Hitler could not send strong forces to Africa—the conditions of the Soviet-German front did not permit him to do it," and said that the clearing of Tunisia undoubtedly would open the way for the invasion of the European Continent by the Allies.

BULLETINS

FORM POLISH UNIT

LONDON, May 9 (Sunday) (AP).—The Russian Government has approved formation of a Polish division on Soviet soil to join the Red Army in the struggle against the Germans, Moscow said today in a broadcast recorded by the Soviet monitor.

STALIN APPLAUDS

MOSCOW, May 9 (Sunday) (AP).—Premier Joseph Stalin last night sent his congratulations to President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill on the "brilliant victory" in Tunisia, and said, "I wish you further successes."

Three Blasts In Gibraltar Bay Mystify

LA LINEA, Spain, May 8 (AP).—Three violent explosions of unexplained origin in Gibraltar Bay at 6 o'clock this morning killed four persons and injured six, it was reported tonight.

After the explosions British naval tugs beached three merchant ships in the harbor.

Reports that Axis submarines had made an attack went without confirmation throughout the day.

ATHLONES AT SEATTLE

SEATTLE, May 8 (AP).—The Earl of Athlone, Governor-General of Canada, and his wife, Princess Alice, arrived in Seattle today on their return trip to the Dominion after a five-day tour of the Pacific Northwest war industries and military installations. They boarded a ship and were to return to British Columbia Sunday morning.

Oppose Food Price Subsidy

Angry Protests From U.S. Congressmen

WASHINGTON, May 8 (AP).—The Administration's plan to use subsidy payments to cut retail food prices drew angry protests today from surprised members of Congress, along with intimations of legislative action to halt the move.

Influential lawmakers said the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, previously denied by Congress the subsidy authority to be exercised now, would receive a cool reception, if and when it seeks additional funds.

Under the plan, the retail prices of meat, coffee and butter would be rolled back on an average of 10 per cent, effective June 1, with the R.F.C. granting subsidies to processors, designed to free them from a price squeeze between producers and consumers.

Bluntly asserting that the action would "harm rather than help" the war effort, Chairman Cannon (D., Mo.), of the House appropriations committee, expressed belief that the act creating the R.F.C. could be amended to ban subsidy payments.

"MOST INFLATIONARY THING TO DO"

From Rep. Taber (R., N.Y.), the appropriations committee's ranking minority member, came the declaration: "This is the most inflationary thing they could do. It is the reverse of a sales tax at a time when a sales tax is needed to curb inflation."

"Roll back prices," he added, "and people, with their increased purchasing power, will buy much they don't need. I never warm up to these subsidy programmes, because they just pile up debt. I don't know how far the President can go without coming to Congress for more money."

Rep. Dirksen (R., Ill.), a leader of the farm bloc, predicted a Congressional effort to block the subsidy programme, and argued that "once you start a subsidy programme, you can never stop them."

Obviously irate, Chairman Steagall (D., Ala.) recalled that the House banking committee, which handles R.F.C. legislation, had rejected an amendment setting forth a similar plan "when it was offered under the guise that it would increase production."

FOUR AIRMEN KILLED

POCATELLO, Idaho, May 8 (AP).—Four men were killed in the crash today in Northeastern Arizona of a four-engined army bomber en route from Biggs Field, El Paso, Texas, to the army air base here. Public relations officers said the plane was manned by a four-man ferry crew and all aboard were killed. Names were withheld pending notification of next of kin.

AIRMEN RESCUED AFTER MONTHS ON ICE CAP

THREE of the United States Army Air Force men who were marooned on the Greenland Ice Cap for 148 days are shown at the White House, Washington, D.C., with General H. H. Arnold, air force chief (right). Left to right are: Capt. A. L. Montevetrue, Anaheim, Calif.; Sgt. Don Tesley, San Antonio, Tex., and First Lieut. Harry Spencer, Jr., Dallas, Tex. The men, including five who died on the ice cap, were crew members of a Flying Fortress being ferried to Great Britain, but which was diverted from its course last November 9 to search for another plane reported overdue. Their own plane crashed and now after many months they have been rescued.

Death or Capture Now Only Choice of Nazis

Nazis Won't Admit Loss Of Tunisia

By The Associated Press

Germany insisted last (Saturday) night that Axis resistance in Tunisia had not yet broken down, while Italy announced bluntly that Tunis and Bizerte had fallen to Allied forces which, the Rome radio said, outnumbered Axis troops ten to one.

A Berlin broadcast, recorded by The Associated Press, failed to mention the two important strongholds captured by the Allies Friday, but declared:

"Several large Axis fighting groups are continuing their stubborn resistance in the coastal area where they are still able to operate from a common base in connection with another large fighting group in the area between Zaghouan to Enfidaville and further south in communication with other centres of resistance."

The broadcast said the British First Army and American Fifth Army "must pay for territorial gains eastward with the fiercest and most costly fighting yet experienced in Africa."

"Everywhere the fighting develops at the closest range, tank against tank, gun against gun and man against man," the broadcast went on.

ATTEMPT TO EASE BLOW OF DEFEAT

In an earlier broadcast, the Berlin radio attempted to ease the blow of defeat by quoting the Dagsposten of Stockholm as saying editorially, "Invasion of England is not out of the question. There might be mass attacks by air and with U-boats with, perhaps, new and terrible weapons."

The newspaper was quoted as saying that "Great Britain's posititon is so desperate that an Allied invasion of Europe cannot be postponed any longer and the Allied invasion may be expected in the west, but hardly in the south of Europe."

The Rome radio quoted the Italian communique as saying the Allies "overcame heroic Axis resistance at Tunis and Bizerte with crushing and overwhelming strength."

A Berlin broadcast quoted an Italian army organ, Le Forze Armate, as saying that total losses of the Italian Army on all fronts up to April 30 of this year were 46,193 killed and 113,736 wounded.

Japanese on Attu Blasted

Heaviest Bombing of War by U.S. Planes

WASHINGTON, May 8 (AP).—Army heavy and medium bombers and swift fighter planes on Thursday gave Japanese troops on Attu Island their heaviest aerial pounding of the war, the Navy disclosed today. It consisted of seven raids launching an expanded air offensive in the North Pacific.

At the same time Warhawk fighter planes, doubling as light bombers, blasted installations on Kiska Island, Japan's main base in the Aleutians, in five raids. A communique said "direct hits were scored on enemy positions."

The Attu assaults were made by Mitchell twin engine craft and Lightning fighters. "Hits were scored in all target areas and several fires were started."

Until Thursday Attu, westernmost of the Aleutians and 233 nautical miles beyond the American base on Amchitka, had been the target of only occasional attacks. Kiska is only sixty-three nautical miles west of Amchitka, whose new American air base was announced by the Navy yesterday.

SELECT CANDIDATE

REVELSTOKE, May 8 (CP).—A C.C.F. nominating convention tonight picked Vincent Segur, C.P.R. locomotive engineer and prominent in local labor circles for many years, to contest the Provincial by-election against Joe McKinnon, Coalition candidate.

Escape From Africa Cut Off as Estimated 120,000 Are Encircled

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, May 8 (AP).—Remnants of the beaten Axis African Army, devoid of supply bases and air support, were herded along the bomb-ridden roads skirting the Gulf of Tunis today toward Cap Bon Peninsula, with Allied armor and infantry in a relentless pursuit which will end only when the last Axis soldier in Africa is dead or captured.

Dawn found stubborn Axis pockets of resistance still fighting on isolated hill positions after the streets of Tunis and Bizerte had been cleared, but the enemy was not expected to be able to put up any real delaying action except possibly in the mountains and at the base of Cap Bon Peninsula.

As other Allied troops chased the shattered enemy forces into the peninsula, American armored units smashed to the Gulf of Tunis to cut off all escape for Axis forces in Northernmost Tunisia. Prisoners were counted by the thousands.

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower and Gen. Henri Giraud participated in a ceremony marking the formal presentation of American lend-lease equipment to the French today, and the Allied commander-in-chief said:

"Now that the only Axis soldiers left on African soil soon will be in their graves or in prison camps, let us set our hearts and minds on complete victory so that we may march with this equipment up Champs Elysees to the Arc de Triomphe, where lies the Unknown Soldier's symbol of French heroism."

AMERICANS CUT COASTAL HIGHWAY

Cashing in on the capture of Tunis and Bizerte, the Americans cut the coastal highway between the two cities at a point eighteen miles south of Bizerte, and the British captured Creteville, fourteen miles southeast of Tunis on the northern side of the base of Cap Bon Peninsula.

There, only twenty-five miles from the port of Hammamet on the southern side of the peninsula's base, British armor threatened to bottle up the main body of enemy forces in their last refuge on the African continent.

The Second United States Army Corps, operating under a new commander, captured Chougui, twenty-one miles west of Tunis, and pressed on against enemy rearguards. The Allies held Chougui Pass, which guards the road to the junction of Tebourba.

The Nineteenth French Corps occupied Pont du Fahs, and British armored forces quickly took over three towns between that anchor of the enemy's southern front and Medjez-El-Bab—Ksar Tyr, Ain El-Asker and Bir M'Cherga.

With the Allied offensive less than seventy-two hours old, a spokesman said the number of enemy prisoners captured in this terrific push alone would total "many thousands," and there were indications that it would go beyond 10,000.

ESTIMATE 120,000 SOLDIERS SURROUNDED

The Algiers radio said in a broadcast recorded in London by The Associated Press that an estimated 120,000 Axis soldiers were encircled.

Thus began the final phase of the Tunisian campaign, a battle of annihilation which Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower promised would last "as long as a single armed German is on African soil."

Eisenhower disclosed for the first

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From Europe Day by Day—

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LONDON, May 8.—The British First Army, aided by overwhelming air power, has captured Tunis, and Moroccan irregular cavalry, followed by United States troops, have entered Bizerte naval base. The campaign in North Africa is drawing to a swift, dramatic conclusion.

The victorious offensive, says The Times' military correspondent, has followed its inevitable course. Once the British First Army's powerful tanks and armored vehicles reached the Tunisian plain its overwhelming strength made victory certain. Its advance cut the Axis forces in two and smashed the Nazi tanks so badly there was little they could do but retreat and retreat again.

All that is now left the Nazis are a few airfields in the hilly country south of Cape Bon. Here they can not hope to make much of a stand, and escape by sea is virtually cut off by the navy and Royal Air Force.

Editorially, The Times says the British First Army, after delays, checks and disappointments, has struck the final, decisive blow and won a great victory. The United States Corps did well in capturing Ferryville. It, too, has undergone a bitter apprenticeship to modern war. It has emerged hardened and experienced.

The air offensive has been the greatest known in Africa. It has ranged from the battlefield over Sicily and Southern Italy, and losses to enemy shipping have been crushing for the army that depended for everything on carriage by sea or air.

There is every prospect now, adds The Times, the Germans will lose heavily in men and machines. Damage to the Luftwaffe and to Axis shipping will affect the whole course of the war.

Disasters also have overtaken the German troops in Kuban, where they are now divided as between the Kuban River and Novorossisk, and the troops have been ordered, in desperation, to stand or die.

The Red Air Force continues supreme in the air, and Red artillery has blasted the Germans from many strongpoints. Russian long-range bombers are attacking Dnieprepetrovsk, Kremenchug and Bryansk, behind the enemy lines in the Ukraine.

There is no truth in the report that United States Flying Fortresses are operating in Russia. Soviet factories are turning out plenty of long-distance bombers for the Red Air Force, and, anyway, Fortresses are useful only for day bombing.

The Royal Air Force's offensive against continental traffic, says The Times' aeronautical correspondent, has reached the point where the Germans are not able to effect repairs until weeks have elapsed. So many locomotives have been wrecked that the Nazis now are using anti-aircraft artillery on trucks attached to freight trains.

The enemy is forced to use barges and coastal ships to make up for lack of railway transport.

Dunkerque to Cap Bon!

AT Dunkerque our hopes were in the cellar. The Low Countries had fallen. France was falling back in confusion. The British First Army had fought its way out of a double-sided trap in deeds of heroism that have become an epic of this war. There, on the shallow beaches of Dunkerque, 330,000 men were saved and at the eleventh hour. Yesterday, the British First Army was in Tunis, a hard-hitting part of United Nations' forces that were driving the same enemy towards Cap Bon, the German Dunkerque. Some 2,500 airplanes on individual missions hovered over the enemy. Forty-seven vessels were sunk between North Africa and Italy. The debacle mounted, neared its smashing climax. Yet, the United Nations would never have got to Cap Bon without united, willing purpose. That same determination, in preparation for stiffer obstacles, is needed now from every earning adult in Canada. Here at home, we must back the men who are fighting—and winning—this war, so that all mankind will be free. It is not much to ask that we save for victory. Buy Victory Bonds today! Get into the fight!

Victoria Unit,
National War Finance Committee.

Enemy Troop Ship Is Sunk

Allied Bomber Downs Japanese Transport

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, May 9 (Sunday) (AP).—A small transport, its decks and superstructure congested with Japanese troops, was fired and sunk yesterday in the second straight day of heavy Allied air attacks on Madang, New Guinea.

Three bomb hits from mast height sent the ship to the bottom near Madang's fine harbor on New Guinea's north coast, and another bomb hit started a small cargo vessel to sinking.

The enemy showed more aerial opposition than it had in recent weeks, sending up thirteen fighters to oppose Allied medium bombers and long-range fighters. No Allied losses were reported, but one of the Japanese interceptors was downed, two more damaged and another destroyed on the ground.

Washington Fears Meat Shortage

YAKIMA, Wash., May 8 (AP).—Warning that a meat famine is in prospect in the State of Washington, the Washington livestock and meat industry, meeting in Yakima today urged strict control of black market operations and pledged efforts for the increase of livestock feeding.

O. E. Joseph, of Seattle, chairman of the meeting, said shortage of labor, high cost of feed and fear of losses under rapidly changing government regulations vitally affect the livestock industry.

Say Greatest War in History to Come With Invasion of Europe

Millions of Men, Blanket of Planes

Two Associated Press correspondents, one in Stockholm and the other in London, have received information recently giving a remarkably similar picture of the form to be taken by Allied invasion of Europe. One, however, finds that the Allies require more time for preparation, the other [illegible] a more or less immediate action. Neither minimizes the cost of retaking Hitler's "fortress Europe," no matter when it comes.

By JAMES M. LONG
Associated Press Staff Writer

LONDON, May 8 (AP)—Invasion of Europe from the west, perhaps the most dramatic prospect of the Allied comeback, seems to observers on this British springboard of attack to be a certainty.

But the relatively widespread feeling in North America that invasion forces virtually are poised at the zero hour is not reflected here.

There is here a feeling that more strength yet must be gathered for the blow. Weeks or months, rather than days, are expected to be required.

Multiply Dieppe tenfold, back it with 1,000,000 men poised to strike, blanket it with air power capable of sweeping the Luftwaffe from the coast and Channel skies—and that is the probable pattern of invasion when it does come.

The multiple Dieppes, unofficial observers here believe, will be conducted simultaneously at the best beachheads from North Cape to the Eastern Mediterranean.

RUSSIA IN EAST DIVERSION SOUTH

It may be supported by a Russian offensive from the East and accompanied by diversionary attacks into Southern Europe.

An examination of the map and a recheck of past commando operations show these obvious landing-place possibilities:

1. Ostend, Calais and Boulogne, closest beachheads to England; Dieppe, barriers of which have been tested, and Le Havre. Their advantage is their nearness, allowing heavier air cover and swift troop crossings in countless relays of small landing craft. It is only twenty miles from England to Calais, sixty-seven to Dieppe and 105 to Le Havre. Their disadvantage is that there the German coastal defences reputedly are the strongest and deepest.

2. Cherbourg and the Normandy Peninsula, Brest, Lorient, St. Nazaire and the Brittany Peninsula. It is eighty-eight miles to Cherbourg and 165 to Brest. The coast would protect both flanks as the Allies deepened their drive inland. Disadvantages are, again, the strength of long-prepared German defences, the greater width of France to be crossed before bringing the fight to German soil, and the treacherous currents off the Breton Coast.

In addition, there are the possibilities of co-ordinated attack on the Low Countries and North Sea coast of Germany—closest to Berlin of all bridgeheads. An attack on Norway—where the Germans are extended, but where a double water crossing would be necessary to follow on to German soil—is expected to clean up that flank and eliminate enemy submarine and air-plane bases.

Invited to See Rome—And Live

NEW YORK, May 8 (AP).—The B.B.C. said today the Bey of Tunis had fled North Africa, accepting "an Italian offer to pay a friendly visit to Europe in order that he may see with his own eyes what is being accomplished by Italy in this war."

Federal Communications Commission monitors recorded the broadcast. The main palace of the Bey is in Le Bardo, a western suburb of Tunis.

Most Miners Back at Work

Strike Over Fines Appears Lessening

PITTSBURGH, May 8 (AP). — A strike of nearly 2,000 coal miners in protest against $1-a-day fines for unauthorized work stoppages apparently was lessening in Ohio and Pennsylvania today as union leaders urged the men to return to their jobs.

John L. Lewis, international president of the United Mine Workers, replied "No comment" when asked in New York City about the strikes. His district officers generally expressed the hope of an early settlement. Fourteen hundred workers went back to the pits this morning at California, Pa.

Four-Way Offensive On Circular Front

By JOHN COLBURN
Associated Press Staff Writer

STOCKHOLM, May 8 (AP).—From all sides come signs that early Summer may see the United Nations start on a four-way offensive to crack the walls of "fortress Europe" while Germany endeavors to smash Russia.

Indications point to the most extensive warfare in history in the coming months on the circular front extending from Russia around the North Cape shores in Norway, through the Lowland Countries, along the French coast to Bayonne on the Bay of Biscay, and in the Mediterranean against Italy and the Balkans.

From a mass of speculation, propaganda and facts, this is how the Summer campaign appears to be shaping up:

The Nazis are ready to try for the third Summer to defeat Russia, hoping their Atlantic submarine warfare will prevent any large-scale Allied offensive against the Western defences.

The decision to make Netherlands soldiers prisoners of war again is one of the many evidences of the fear that the Allies might have concentrated enough power and supplies in Great Britain to make an invasion.

REPORT FORCES MASS IN ICELAND

Gen. Nikolaus von Falkenhorst's recent inspection of Norway's defences came simultaneously with reports from Germany that the Allies were massing forces in Iceland to invade Finland in the vicinity of Petsamo, and thus get at Norway through the back door.

Such a move might be made in an effort to reduce the menace of submarine and plane attacks on Allied Russia-bound convoys.

The Nazis have been seeking more Finnish help, not only on the Leningrad front, but also in preparation for any invasion from the north. High Finnish officers, however, are reported to have said privately that few Finnish soldiers would obey if ordered to oppose an Allied invasion.

Elimination of German bases in Northern Norway would permit Britain to shift more of her fleet to the Atlantic anti-submarine fight and would drive out the remnants of the German navy which base in Norway's southern fjords. Norway is not considered here a possible base for invasion of Europe.

RUSSIANS COULD FORCE DELAYS

There have been reports that the Russians would employ delaying actions against the Germans until they could co-ordinate their own offensive with the Western invasion. This would force Hitler to split his forces and supplies and move them to two widely-separated major fronts over transport lines now being hammered continually from the air.

Meanwhile, the Allies, after cleaning the Axis out of Tunisia, may concentrate their Mediterranean forces on Italy in an effort to strike through Trieste to Austria.

That Hitler also fears Gen. Sir Henry Pownall's British Ninth and Tenth Armies may come up through the Balkans was seen in his recent conferences with the leaders of Bulgaria, Hungary and Rumania.

PUBLISHERS ARRIVE

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP).—Geoffrey C. Faber, president of the Publishers' Association of Great Britain, and Walter Harrap, head of the London Publishing Company of that name, arrived here today from Eastern Canada. G. Wren Howard, managing director of Jonathan Cape, Ltd., is expected tonight.

The Isle of Wight, off England's south coast, has been renamed "The Isle of Plenty" by a newspaper writer who found the place abounded in the little luxuries that have disappeared from the mainland.

Greater Output

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rangements gauged for delivery to all war fronts, details of the Canadian switch-over cannot be worked out. But the shift is expected to get under way within the next few months and to continue throughout this Summer and Fall. By early 1944, it is planned, Canada will be in full stride on all phases of the new industrial war effort.

There are three major causes for the new situation confronting Canada in the realm of war production. First of these is the tremendous success of Canada's industrial war expansion and the resulting huge production. By international arrangement half of Canada's output has been for army equipment. Canadian production has helped to build up a big surplus of many lines which will have to be discontinued or decreased. Even with a European offensive in prospect many lines of army requirements are in stock in quantities to fill requirements for months ahead.

Second is the shipping problem, now intensified by the tremendous Axis submarine efforts to knock out United Nations' supply lines including the North Atlantic route to Europe.

EMPHASIS ON SMALLER TYPES

Output of escort ships has not kept pace with cargo boat construction. Emphasis is now to be put on naval vessels, especially smaller types most effective in convoy protection and sub-hunting as well as on output of faster type freighters. Labor, materials and factory facilities formerly used in other production will be switched to shipbuilding. As shipping conditions improve big stocks of war equipment in America can be more readily moved overseas.

Third major factor is the changing character of the land war. Emphasis in the early years was on tanks and similar armored equipment. Fighting in Africa has demonstrated that tank defences have reached an effective stage and mobile infantry and artillery, together with devastating air power are assuming new importance. This calls for readjustment in ground equipment production.

TO PRESENT SEVERE PROBLEMS

The readjustment period, it is indicated will present severe problems. While retooling and re-equipment of factories is in progress, lay-offs will probably be considerable. Plans are under way for temporary use of those thrown out of work but as yet no estimate is possible of the number to be affected.

Meantime it is possible that there will be some relaxation in restrictions against some items of civilian requirement, notably farm machinery. One major difficulty is that some plants engaged in work which must be discontinued cannot be completely changed over to new production because later, further supplies of their original output may be needed. For the same reason workers skilled in present output must, in some instances, be held available to resume the jobs they will temporarily have to abandon. This will be met to some extent by training them for new work in the same plants so that both men and machines will be available if resumption of former output is required.

Death or Capture

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time today that Maj.-Gen. Omar N. Bradley, fifty-year-old infantry officer, had succeeded Lieut.-Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., as commander of the Second United States Army Corps when the Americans were shifted to the north, April 17, for the showdown scrap.

Although the commander-in-chief praised both American generals, there was nothing in his statement to indicate the present whereabouts of Patton, a specialist in armored warfare.

Bradley was placed in command because the new zone of operations in the north made it essentially an infantry fight, it was said.

After today's new gains, the front now consists of an arc in the north held by the Americans, running from Bizerte to a point two miles northwest of Protville, then eastward toward the coast. South of Tunis the wedge front is approximately on a line from Tunis to Pont du Fahs, then southeast to Ben Saidan, east to Saouaf, and thence to a point on the coast ten miles north of Enfidaville. An additional wedge was driven fourteen miles from Tunis along the road running southeastward along the Gulf of Tunis.

Bizerte in Ruins

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is twice as bad at Mateur—and I thought that was one of the worst torn up places I ever saw. It is almost deserted. There are only a few French people left. They cheered us and some cried they were so happy. They all gave us the Victory sign with their fingers.

"Seven or eight ships were blown up in the harbor. The whole place is blown apart around the harbor."

AMERICAN PRESS "TAKES" TINDJA

The American Army took Bizerte and Ferryville, but a contingent of the American press took Tindja.

This little spot at the western side of Lake Achkel bears the same relation to Ferryville across the causeway between Lake Achkel and Lake Bizerte that Brooklyn does to Manhattan—Manhattan gets all the parades and so does Ferryville.

Just as the Tindja patriots were sadly thinking of putting their flags back in the moth balls down the road wove an army public relations jeep carrying four uniformed American war correspondents.

"Can you tell us the road to Bizerte, please," asked Graham Hovey, of International News Service, who was driving because no other correspondent in the car could.

A small boy who heard the query was the first to catch the significance to Tindja of this epochal visit and bawled out at the top of his lungs:

"Les Americans! Les Americans!"

Tindja patriots leaped to life as if they had stepped on an electric wire. Out came the flags and flowers showered the surprised correspondents.

"Vive les soldats Americains!" roared the little throng in a blast of welcome that shook Tindja.

"They think we are soldiers and saved them from the Nazis," I said while trying to break a stranglehold on an urchin who had leaped on the jeep.

"Well, who are we to tell all these people they are wrong?" asked Seymour Korman, of The Chicago Tribune, spitting out a carnation. "Didn't you always want to be here?"

FINDS KISSER ATE GARLIC

Just then a stout Frenchman embraced Dave Brown, of Bath, Me., Reuter's correspondent, pinioning his arms enthusiastically and planting two vigorous kisses on Brown's new mustache.

"I would be kissed by the only guy in town that ate garlic for lunch," said Brown, then shouted loyally:

"A la victoire!"

The Frenchman retired.

Rejoicing residents of Ferryville, little French port on Lake Bizerte, gave the key to the city to a conquering column of American tankmen—and they promptly used it to lock up captured remnants of the German army in the city hall.

More than 225 Nazi prisoners were herded through the streets to the white city hall—Hotel de Ville—while Frenchmen who no longer had to pay the German piper danced in the streets with joy. The whole town, from toddling children to aged granddames went literally mad with delight.

The capture of Bizerte itself later in the day was a comparative anti-climax to the flower-garlanded troops after the royal welcome they got at Ferryville.

Every American soldier was a king.

Still wearing a dazed look from a trip through the city, Capt. Elgin Sanders, of Douglas, Ariz., and Cpl. Nathaniel Good, of El Paso, Tex., sat at the crossroads about two miles southwest of Ferryville in a jeep covered with flowers and with flowers sticking out of their helmets.

"One thousand and one people gave them to us," said Sanders. "Watch out when you go in there. They'll kiss you, to death."

"Don't you think a man has more sense after he's married?"

"Yes, but it doesn't do him any good then."

Cracks Defences

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Kuban lowlands along the Sea of Azov north of Novorossisk.

One hundred barges were reported by Berlin to have been destroyed, thus suggesting that at least two-thirds of the Red Army barges had disgorged their forces successfully in a flanking move on the northern side of the Taman Peninsula.

Vast stocks of booty were reported captured by the Red Army which now is attacking in the knowledge that the Axis has suffered a severe defeat in Africa as the prelude to a European invasion by the Allies in the West.

What is a budget?

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Red Tape Tangle

PHOENIX, Ariz., May 8 (AP).—Arizona recently adopted a law prohibiting dealings with persons whose movements are restricted, except by those who file with the Secretary of State and advertise in newspapers three weeks.

Harold Scoville, county attorney, reported a dentist called him about the law, explaining that a Japanese-American had come to his office with an aching tooth. The dentist wanted to know if he could pull it.

"I had to tell him," Scoville said, "that if he lived up to the letter of the law he would have to advertise three weeks first."

SEATTLE, May 8 (AP).—The voluntary return of 819 former lumber workers during April to jobs in the woods in Washington State, in response to an urgent Government appeal, was reported today by Otto S. Johnson, State director of the U.S. Employment Service.

He said several hundred workmen had done the same in Oregon, but the response still was short of the urgent need for 4,000 new lumber workers in the Pacific Northwest.

WELCOME, SOLDIER

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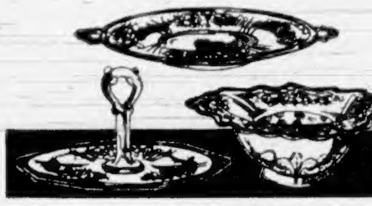

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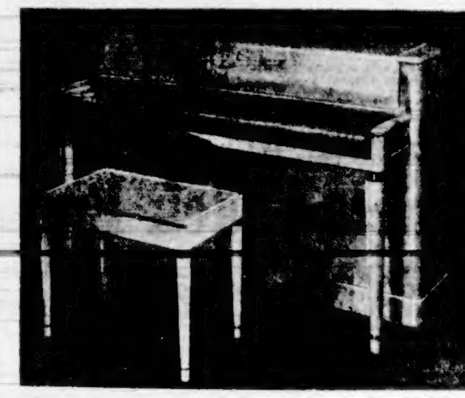

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Britain Hoping for Big Invasion During Summer

Where and When Blows Will Fall Is Hitler's Worry, but Belief Is Decisive Phase Coming

LONDON, May 8 (AP).—A series of Summer assaults around the rim of Adolf Hitler's fortress from Norway to Greece—that's what the British expect to see after Tunisia. "It is well at this moment of great promise," The Daily Telegraph said this morning, "to recall that this African campaign was never anything more than a preliminary to bigger things."

Some of these next attacks may be feints. Some may have limited objectives.

But some will be the real thing.

That, at least, is Britain's hope—the hope, as The Telegraph said, that the African campaign "has been concluded at small enough cost to make possible a deep penetration of the European fortress this year."

Where and when the blows will fall is Hitler's worry, but neither he nor the British seem to doubt that this will be the decisive Summer of the war.

CONFERENCES MAY BE UNDER WAY

There was reason to believe in London that conferences for the final settlement of this decisive strategy had been arranged or are even partly under way.

This belief was bolstered by President Roosevelt's announcement that he was sending Joseph E. Davies, former United States Ambassador to Russia, to Moscow with a message for Premier Stalin.

Prime Minister Churchill's warning to the Germans against the use of gas has since been underscored by unofficial reports of German preparations, suggesting that Hitler is contemplating this method of warfare as a last desperate measure to terrorize his enemies—a measure which left them unmoved because of the undoubted mastery of the air.

That fact to many military observers overrides all other considerations, including the still unconquered U-boat threat.

The way in which Allied forces swept the Luftwaffe out of the Tunisian skies and the Axis soldiers out of Tunis and Bizerte is regarded as the happiest augury of Summer success.

From North Africa and Britain, this air offensive will be turned fuller than ever on Europe—against railways, factories, U-boat bases, troop concentrations, ports and defence works.

When the assault starts, there is no doubt that Britain will go hungrier than ever, as cargoes are converted from butter to guns—but land is generous in the Summer, and housewives as well as military observers hope the invasion will hit the U-boat nests first.

Quintuplets Will Launch Ships Today

Train Bearing Famous Sisters Is Derailed

SUPERIOR, Wis., May 8 (AP).—The special car carrying the Dionne quintuplets and their party was derailed in the Soo Line railroad yards today as it was being switched to the shipyards where the five famous little girls will officiate at the launching tomorrow of a quintette of cargo ships.

Aaron Litman, public relations director for the Walter R. Butler Shipbuilders, Inc., where the launching will take place, said the rear trucks of the Pullman in which the girls were riding dropped off the tracks while rounding a sharp curve.

Litman said no one was injured and that a wrecker quickly hoisted the car back on the tracks.

The quintuplets watched excitedly, as the ponderous crane on the wrecking train lifted their car into position.

The quints and their accompanying party arrived about twenty minutes behind schedule this morning and their appearance at the shipyards was delayed further by the mishap.

SLEEP IN SEPARATE ROOMS

For the first time in their nearly nine years the quintuplets slept in separate rooms last night, four of them occupying two compartments, while the fifth occupied another with her sister, Pauline.

Hon. A. St. Clair Gordon, Provincial Treasurer of Ontario, and Eugene Casey, executive assistant to President Roosevelt, will be among the score of North American statesmen, military, naval and maritime service officials on the stand when the world's most famous sisters swing their red, white and blue-jacketed bottles of water from the Niagara River to mark officially a world record for sidewise cargo ship launching.

The five vessels, named after early American Captains Moses Gay, Asa Eldridge, Gurdon Gates, Bailey Foster and Watson Ferris, are destined to fly the British Ensign under lend lease.

Which of the girls will open the ceremony at 2 p.m. (C.D.T.) is to be determined by lot. The other launchings will follow at forty-five-minute intervals.

Canada's First Parachute Troops Start Making Jumps

SHILO CAMP, Man., May 8 (CP).—Military authorities here said today members of Canada's first parachute battalion have started making "jumps" at the paratroop camp here, 110 miles west of Winnipeg.

First to land on Canadian soil was Lieut. John (Steamer) Hanson, twenty-five, of Westmount, Que., when he led a specially-chosen stick of airborne officers out of a huge transport plane in a test flight here last Tuesday.

The men recently came to this base after training last Winter at Fort Benning, Ga.

The first group to make the leap were Jumpmaster Capt. H. A. Farquier, of Toronto.

Actually the first to make the test jump was "Oscar," the 150-pound sandbag.

Then orders were rapped out: "Smokes out. Get ready. Stand up. Hook up. Check your equipment. Sound off."

The men stood up in the plane and called their positions.

HANSON "HITS THE SILK"

At the command "jump," Lieut. Hanson "hit the silk" and was followed by nine other troopers—the first Canadian paratroopers to descend on Canadian soil.

For Lieut. Hanson the jump was his thirtieth since joining the army shortly after the start of the war.

Others who took part in the jump were Lieutenants R. M. (Bob) Baxter, of Winnipeg; H. M. (Chug) Walker, Canora, Sask.; W. R. (Russ) Hicks, Foam Lake, Sask., and R. G. McLean, Calgary.

The plane was piloted by Flt. Lt. C. H. P. Killick, R.C.A.F., who studied air force co-operation with the battalion at Fort Benning. Co-pilot was Flt. Lt. T. E. Daniels, of Los Angeles.

Capt. Farquier was assisted by Sgt. D. L. Harris, of Magrath, Alta.

Greatest Day Ever in Bond Sales Drive

OTTAWA, May 8 (CP).—Subscriptions in Canada's Fourth Victory Loan campaign have reached a total of $707,850,300 in the drive toward a $1,100,000,000 objective, it was announced at national headquarters today. This cumulative total compares with $564,863,750 subscribed at the corresponding stage of the third loan, which had an objective of $750,000,000.

The day's total was the highest daily figure ever recorded in a Canadian Victory Loan campaign. The highest previous total for a day was $70,672,850 on the eighteenth day of the third loan last Fall.

The cumulative total of subscribers at the close of business Friday evening was 916,619. This compares with 668,322 at the same stage of the last loan, an increase of 248,297.

Subscriptions yesterday amounted to $77,006,700, while for the correspoding day of the last loan the total was $54,883,750.

Buttressing yesterday's total was a $12,000,000 subscription from the Great West Life Assurance Co.

GREAT RESULTS FROM ARMY

First returns on bond subscriptions of $564,750 by Canadian Army units overseas brought the army's combined total of subscriptions at home and abroad to $8,301,650, or nearly three times as much as the entire army raised during the whole of the Third Victory Loan. The first cable from London, England, reported 4,910 applications.

Commenting on progress on the loan campaign among army units, Defence Minister Ralston said today that it was "with a great sense of personal pride in the Canadian Army" he received the news that all military districts and commands in Canada had now passed their objectives in the Fourth Victory Loan drive.

He said it proved again "the splendid spirit of army teamwork that exists from coast to coast," and added: "The flame of that spirit is brightened by Victory Loan returns from overseas."

"I would like," he added, "to congratulate all ranks of the Canadian Army on their fine achievement, and urge the army to carry on with continued zeal during the remaining week of the loan."

Victory Loan subscriptions by the army in Canada now stand at $7,736,900.

Protest Moving Indians to U.S.

ASHCROFT, May 8 (CP).—On grounds that Indians supply much of the labor in this district, the Ashcroft Ranchers' Association has protested the recent movement of Interior Indians to work for growers in the State of Washington.

The protest was made to E. Clark, of the National Selective Service Commission, at a meeting here. Ranchers suggested that Indians who have already crossed the border should be brought back, and that no more should be permitted to leave Canada.

Ranchers present said they were not prepared to engage conscientious objectors by the year, as required under Selective Service rules, since the seasonal nature of farmwork in this district calls for employment at certain periods of the year only.

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Plan to Raise Job Insurance Salary Limit

OTTAWA, May 8 (CP).—The top salary limit for coverage under the Unemployment Insurance Act will be raised from $2,000 to $2,400 a year if a bill prepared by the Labor Department becomes law.

Notice of the bill was given in the House of Commons order paper by Labor Minister Mitchell.

At present the act applies to those insurable who earn $2,000 a year or less. With overtime, cost-of-living bonuses and recent increases in certain wage scales, many employees who would normally be covered by the insurance scheme have moved out of the range of coverage through increased earnings.

The bill also contains a number of minor changes in the Unemployment Insurance Act with a view to improving its operations.

Recently a committee was set up to study extension of the insurance scheme to cover the logging industry, now one of the industries excepted from it as being of seasonal character. It was learned the committee has not yet made a report and no extension of the scheme to additional industries is proposed in the bill.

Farm Production In Canada Soars

Gross Value Greatest Since Big 1919 Year

OTTAWA, May 8 (CP).—The Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today that the gross value of agricultural production in Canada in 1942—estimated at $2,078,934,000—reached the highest point since the inflationary year of 1919. The bureau said an increase of more than $460,000,000 in the value of field crops in 1942 was chiefly responsible for the rise which occurred in the gross value between the years 1941 and 1942.

Estimated value of agricultural production in 1942 was 45 per cent above the 1941 estimate. Record yields of all grain crops, particularly in the Prairie Provinces, as well as moderate increases in prices, were responsible for the great expansion in the value of field crops.

The gross value of production of all other main farm products, except fibre flax and clover and grass seed, showed substantial gains in 1942, as compared with 1941. These gains, the bureau said, were particularly marked in milk and poultry production and farm animals.

FIGURES GIVEN ON GROSS VALUE

Gross value of 1942 agricultural production by commodities was as follows, with 1941 figures in brackets:

Field crops, $1,145,778,000 ($683,889,000); farm animals, $409,192,000 ($339,305,000); wool, $3,283,000 ($2,571,000); milk products, $272,421,000 ($206,543,000); fruits and vegetables, $74,340,000 ($69,494,000); poultry products, $131,273,000 ($89,009,000); fur farming, $6,697,000 ($5,539,000); maple products, $6,716,000 ($3,561,000); tobacco, $19,873,000 ($18,614,000); fibre flax, $2,155,000 ($3,118,000); clover and grass seed, $3,721,000 ($5,165,000); honey and wax, $3,505,000 ($3,315,000).

Supporting Loan Drive

Bond Purchases Amount to $8,000

Making an appeal to the members to support to the fullest Canada's Fourth Victory Loan as a means of bringing the war to a quick and successful conclusion, Bill Bridgewood, president of the Victoria Aerie No. 12, F.O.E., addressed a gathering of 500 at the fourth annual banquet last night at the Eagles' Home, View Street.

"Your aerie," Mr. Bridgewood continued, "has invested $8,000 in War Bonds. In this time of emergency it is our duty as Eagles to do all we can to turn the wheel. Let us push and push hard," he said.

In outlining the work carried on by the A.R.P. section of the Victoria Aerie, President Bridgewood told of the equipping and building of an emergency ward, and said, "Let us as brothers keep up this humanitarian work for the good of the public in general." He reported that 573 new members were inducted into the order during the past year.

Dave Essler, representative of the State Aerie, spoke of the growth in the Port Alberni, Nanaimo, Ladysmith, Prince George aeries, and remarked how they have all gone over the top in their membership drives. He congratulated all of the lodges on their success.

Work of the social committee was outlined by Bill Cox, chairman, who thanked the members for their co-operation during the year.

Gnr. Charles Hovey, a professional artist before enlisting in the Canadian Army, sang two selections. Miss G. McLeod was the accompanist.

Dr. H. Clarke, past president, occupied the chair.

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The dead man was J. H. Corbett, Portland, engineer on the locomotive, which overturned after dragging two baggage cars, a mail car and two passenger coaches down the embankment.

The wreck occurred in early morning on a curve one mile south of Oakland. The train, The Rogue, was en route from Ashland to Portland. Railroad officials did not disclose cause of the derailment.

Two coaches and a lunch car and two sleeping cars remained upright and soldiers who were aboard took over the rescue work. They extricated a number of persons from the overturned cars, and although these were shaken, only five required hospitalization.

Will Probe Stock Sales

EDMONTON, May 8 (CP).—G. M. Blackstock, public utilities commissioner, said today a conference is being arranged to be held in Winnipeg to discuss the problem of "fly-by-night" stock salesmen and those who operate by long-distance telephones.

"At this conference," Mr. Blackstock said, "all the ramifications of stock selling will be examined and plans will be formulated to deal with them."

Representatives of security commissions from British Columbia to Quebec will attend the conference which will be held in a few weeks.

Commenting on a report in The Financial Post, of Toronto, that a Toronto brokerage firm was trying to sell stocks to Alberta residents by long distance telephone, Mr. Blackstock said:

"There is a Securities Act in all the provinces and the commissions which administer the act work closely together. . . . We control the operations of brokers and from time to time as new schemes are launched by promoters, we discuss the merits or demerits of each, accepting perhaps with modifications or rejecting the plan in whole."

Report Bonus Planned for Civil Servants

OTTAWA, May 8 (CP).—The Ottawa Evening Journal said today that "the cost-of-living bonus will be extended shortly to all Government employees receiving up to $3,000."

"Official announcement is expected within a week," The Journal said.

The story continued:

". . . Up to the present the cost-of-living bonus has been allowed only to employees receiving up to $2,100 a year.

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Fourteen Dead in U.S. Plane Crash

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 8 (AP).—Fourteen men were killed and one critically injured tonight in the crash of a two-engined army transport plane near the Oklahoma city airport.

Captain Richard Martin, public relations officer, said eleven of the dead were soldiers and the other three civilians. The injured soldier was taken to Tinker Field Hospital at the depot.

Names of the victims were withheld pending notification of next of kin.

MORE FRENCH WORKERS

BERNE, Switzerland, May 8 (AP).—A Paris dispatch to the Frankfurter Zeitung said today that Pierre Laval, French Chief of Government, had promised Nazi Labor Commissioner Fritz Sauckel that he would deliver the third contingent of 400,000 French workers to the German labor service by June 30. Meanwhile, Protestant churches in France were reported to be protesting strongly against Laval's labor policy, which they declared was "destroying thousands of homes."

TO CHRISTEN FREIGHTER

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP).—Mrs. Stephen Eely, who has seven sons in the Canadian (Active) Army, was chosen today to christen the first oil-burning Victory freighter to be launched at a West Coast Canadian shipyard.

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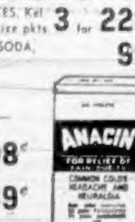

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CAMPAIGN IN BURMA

When the British launched an attack in Burma some months ago the first belief was that the objective was to reopen the Burma Road so as to insure a steady flow of supplies to the Chinese armies. Now it appears that the campaign is little more than a reconnaissance in force, a prolonged one it is true, but not in any case a full-scale offensive. Shortly after the British marched in General Sir Alan Hartley, Deputy Commander-in-Chief, India, said no risks were being taken, but that "we are quietly feeling our way." He went on to say: "I think I can claim that we have learned our lesson and appreciate the fact that we cannot underestimate the Japanese or take unnecessary or quixotic risks in prosecuting the war against them. We have learned by bitter experience their offensive tactics in the peculiar country of Malaya and Burma; we are now approaching the situation to see how best to deal with their suicide methods of defence."

That was last February. The British in their incursion drove forward to within thirty miles of Akyab. They never got any nearer, and for some time past they have been withdrawing at intervals. This is an episode in the war which will doubtless be dealt with by Mr. Winston Churchill when he makes his forthcoming review to Parliament. The Japanese have redoubled their efforts recently to restore the situation on the northwest frontier of Burma before the breaking of the monsoon. They have advanced a considerable distance towards their goal. In Burma there are serious difficulties in establishing lines of communication, difficulties described by a correspondent as "some of the most formidable in the world." It is jungle warfare there. The reconnaissance in force was undertaken to train the British and Indian soldiers in this type of fighting which has been brought to such a state of efficiency by the enemy. Now, for some time past, the British have been withdrawing under repeated pressure. The Times (London) says that "it has always been apparent that they (these jungle experiments with equipment and transport) could not represent even the prologue to the reconquest of Burma because the time available before the wet weather was too short in such a country."

"Whatever the result," says The Times, "it does not seem over-optimistic to say that the days of acute anxiety for the safety of India are over. Japanese strength on land has not been seriously diminished; but there is no sign that the enemy has ever been able to overcome the handicap of his long communications. His aircraft have been so consistently worsted in engagements with ours that those communications have been continually harried and frequently disrupted. Though this may make it difficult for him to stretch out his arm still farther, it will not prevent him from remaining a formidable foe in defence, as indeed some of the more recent combats have shown. The major operations which will be required for the recovery of Burma still lie ahead."

A GLANCE AT CHURCH HISTORY

It was announced recently that His Majesty the King has been pleased to appoint the Duke of Montrose as High Commissioner to represent him at the General Assembly of the National Church of Scotland. Interest attaches to this event for several reasons, among Christians of all denominations. Anyone who likes ceremonial will take pleasure in the spectacle of the formal opening of the National Assembly by Royal authority, and in the splendid social functions at which Scottish society will pay respectful homage to the representative of the Sovereign. Moreover, for historical reasons, this annual State pageant has its own significance.

When the question is asked why the King appears in the person of his High Commissioner at this church ceremonial it is usually taken as a sufficient answer to say that the assembly is that of the Established National Church in close alliance with the State, and that the High Commissioner's attendance is an act of State which is intended to give due recognition and emphasis to the fact. Further inquiry may be made as to the nature of this alliance between Church and State. Is it an alliance or partnership between equals, or is there a superiority of one over the other? These and similar questions involve a backward glance at Scottish history.

Everyone knows that in the period of the Reformation the influence of John Calvin was very powerful among the clergy and people of Scotland. Not only was his theology favorably received in that country and elsewhere, but his theory of church government and even his High Church views of the relation of Church and State gained many adherents. During the early days of the reforming movement a compromise system of church government was devised by Knox, which was intended to combine the best features of episcopacy with those of presbytery. After a trial of this plan, however, the Church decided to adopt in its entirety the system of government by courts of session, presbytery, synod, and assembly, a decision which was approved and ratified by the Scottish Parliament in 1592.

The Scottish reformers were strictly opposed to the "Erastian" doctrine of State supremacy in ecclesiastical affairs, which they described as the subjection of the Church of God to the regulations of an earthly government. They were largely in sympathy with the Calvinist view that the Church should command and the State obey. How did it come about that they were able to wage a powerful struggle against the King on this issue? The explanation is to be found in the fact that while the Scottish aristocracy bore sway in the Scottish Parliament, the Scottish nation at large, in its political as well as in its religious life, asserted itself in another place, namely, in the courts and councils of the Church. The elected representatives of the people sitting in these courts were able to profit greatly from the discipline afforded in the orderly methods of debate and discussion proper to deliberative and legislative bodies. It was under the auspices of the Church that the Scots learned the theory and practice of civil government. The Scottish people were thus united as a great democratic force. The historian, J. R. Green, says that the Scottish people rose into being under the guise of the Scottish Kirk.

The power of the Church thus supported by the common people was so great that its leaders boldly claimed for it an independence of the State, a claim that the King, James VI, was hardly strong enough to resent. In 1596, seven years before he succeeded to the English throne as James I, Melville, the greatest of the successors of Knox, told King James in open council that as King he was not the lord or head of the Church, but only a member. He was merely "God's silly vassal."

In the result, all that James could save of his "divine right" in the matter was the right of being present at the General Assembly and of fixing the time and place of the annual meeting. It seemed very little at the moment, but as things turned out it was enough. When he succeeded to the throne of England he was able to use his power to circumvent and defeat the Scottish clergy, reduce them to submission, and by the simple device of hindering and proroguing the meeting of the assembly for years on end, enforce the supremacy of the Crown.

These conflicts, however, belong to the past. The relations between Church and State in Scotland are today on a satisfactory basis. The High Commissioner's duties at the assembly are now, and have long been, of an amicable character. The right of the Sovereign to be present there has been preserved. King James insisted upon this right three and a half centuries ago. His successors maintained it and the present Sovereign exercises it today.

AIR POWER IN ACTION

The Tunisian campaign now drawing to its close is a further demonstration, if one were needed, that the side which holds the skies takes also the battle. That has been proved many times in this global conflict, both on land and at sea. In Tunisia, the skies are ours. One by one, enemy airdromes were rendered useless, his planes grounded, and his last patrols driven from the air. This is a precedent to victory. It is still true, and likely always will be, that air power cannot exist without sea power; and that both are useless unless there is on the ground force to meet force.

The Battle of Egypt, the Battle of Libya and the Battle of Tunisia cost the combined Axis forces somewhere in excess of 3,000 planes. They are ending now, with the Axis taken down completely out of the sky in the immediate battle area; with Allied bombers scarifying a zone four miles broad and one mile deep, through which infantry and tanks pour; with eyes for our side, but no eyes for the enemy; with a blockade of the water gap that has shut off all attempt at evacuation by the enemy of an untenable position. This is air power in action. It is that power of which the Luftwaffe once boasted, before the world. We hold it now.

It is not difficult to apply those lessons to the greater task that lies ahead. Tunisia is the curtain-raiser to a greater drama, the Battle of Europe. Into that the enemy will pour, and must pour, everything he has. Concentrations such as the 2,500-sortie flights of the Allies in Tunisia will be far surpassed. Aerial warfare on a scale not yet seen by mankind will mark the coming battles. The end, however, will be the same. Beset on multiple fronts, the enemy cannot hold the skies, and when he loses there he will have lost all.

TO TAXPAYERS' ACCOUNT

Investments by the British Columbia Treasury and associated Provincial bodies in Dominion of Canada War and Victory Loans have now exceeded $20,000,000, all told. That investment, made on behalf of the people of this province, is a fine one. In a substantial measure it has shown that British Columbia is in the war, not only with her men, but also with every available resource that she can muster. That is as it should be.

In the first war issue the Provincial Treasury took $800,000 in bonds, and subsequently increased that to more than $1,000,000. In subsequent issues, the provincial subscription increased from $1,000,000 to $3,000,000, and then to $5,000,000, which was the sum invested in the Third Victory Loan. This time, in the Fourth Victory Loan, the Province made a basic investment of $6,000,000, and now has brought that up, to $8,350,000, with the aid of sums invested on behalf of trust accounts.

There is considerable satisfaction in the thought that the Province's rest funds, pledged as they are to many different accounts, are helping in this manner, and on behalf of the provincial taxpayers. They have become fighting dollars, taking their part in the war. Were the sum maintained intact, annual interest earnings would amount to some $600,000, as a bonus on an investment that is the safest in Canada, the legal repository for trust funds.

What the Provincial Treasury can do, and has done, on behalf of provincial taxpayers, it is open to all citizens to do on their own account for themselves. Every bond taken in the Fourth Victory Loan is a link with the men who fight. It is a demonstration that here at home we are also in that fight, and determined to see it through to victory. It is putting first things first.

SPIRITED PERFORMANCE

The entertainment provided by the Victoria Girls' Highland Pipe Band on downtown streets yesterday afternoon proved to be one of the highlights of the Victory Bond campaign. The display reminded thousands who watched it that Victoria has a new attraction in its Highland lassies, and a singularly fine one. The pipe band is an acquisition to the community, already noted for its pipers, Highland dancing and Scottish games.

One of the largest audiences of the two-weeks'-old campaign rallied for the performance, which was given on View Street, between Broad and Douglas. Highland marches, Highland dancing, and even popular music set to the pibroch and chanters came from the versatile group, who staged their entertainment with great spirit. It was the lassies' day, and the Highland lassies walked away with most of the blue ribbons of the campaign to date.

Excitement is not enjoyment; in calmness lies true pleasure. The most precious wines are sipped, not bolted at a swallow.—Victor Hugo.

Note and Comment

By SANDHAM GRAVES

WE SHALL WIN

At the risk of being termed over-confident, a charge that has become a part of parrotry itself, I would like to set down now some of the reasons why I think the United Nations will win this war. I base these [illegible] such as they are, upon events which have been recorded day by day in my diary; not upon the opinions of anyone, but on action and action alone. With human forces that is a fair test; for men wear their opinions much like their clothes, changing them with the fashion. Actions, however, are what men, and nations, put their real weight behind.

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In the first place, I think the United Nations will win because they are responding to a war, and not making one. This is, of course, the belief that moral right is upon our side. As a veteran, I believe that man makes war, but that a power much greater than man takes a hand in the settlement. There is no entry in my diary to express that, but I put it here because I believe that it is not in history, or elsewhere among human relations, to hold that might will make right, ever will, or ever can. The settlement may be retarded, but come it does. To hold otherwise is to deny the existence of a Providence interested in his highest creation, man.

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In the second place, I believe we shall win because we have the stronger idea in this war. The United Nations say this should be a free world, free to all nations, with nobody the master and none the slave. Against that, the aggressors have promulgated a set of doctrines which might be termed the old feudal system, and a new feudal system descending into international banditry, both contemplating a world in chains. No one yet has been able to chain man and keep him chained.

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In the third place, I believe we shall win because in a material sense we have retained control of the waterways of the world. There are sound military reasons for asserting that it is these lines of communication which contribute to victory, and at its base. The loss of that advantage has penned our chief enemy to the Continent of Europe; and forced a separation between the Axis partners that nothing can bridge now. So this is a factor that counts double, for us.

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In the fourth place, I believe we shall win because we are a very considerable part of the world's free population, not to be dictated to by any armed minority, however rabid or however threatening. As long as we remain united, you have only to count noses to see what I mean. For different reasons possibly, but all to the common end, the British Empire, the United States of America, the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, the Chinese Republic, and some twenty-three other nations or countries are responding to this war, and with all their brains and energy. Nothing has been able to split us so far. In my opinion, nothing will.

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In the fifth place, the enemy has had three and a half years to make the "surprises" of this war count decisively in his favor. Blitzkrieg was the first of them. It has failed. Tanks, dive-bombing, mass terror and all the rest of it, have been absorbed. More than that, we have learned to better his performance, excepting only the mass terror, and we don't need that. In spite of the times, there have been no genuine surprises in the means of making war. Such improvements as have come were logical, and we have kept fully abreast of those. Indeed, in a good many respects we lead.

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Space is running out so I must condense the rest. That part of the enemy's case which was bluff has been called. His factories, rails and roads are under fire, and ours are largely out of his range. Man-power for man-power we have the edge. Quality for quality, our strategists, fighters and workers are a full match for his. Our resources are much greater, and our determination not less. Gaps have begun to show in the enemy's ranks, gaps which he is unable to fill. That is patent in first-line air strength, and elsewhere. Attuned to attack the enemy now talks defence. Pledged to conquest, he would now become the savior of Europe, the guardian of little peoples. Three peace proposals have been offered to us, but little disguised at their source.

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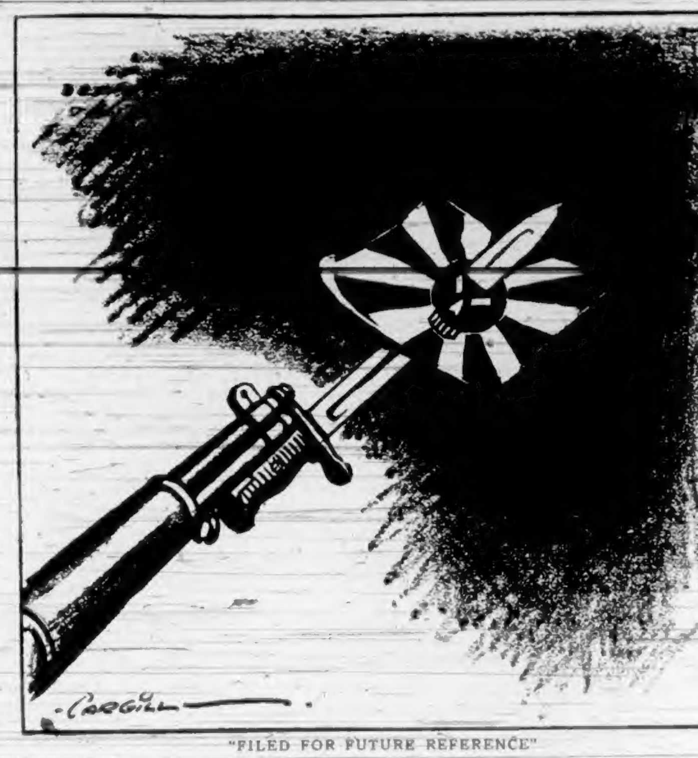
Admittedly this is opinion, but it is based on events. The end of every war is to be read in its day-by-day happenings. In my opinion then, this is the year 1917 over again. The toughest battles are ahead. Baulked of a face-saving decision, Germany will fight to the bitter end. But that end is certain. It will be the unconditional surrender of our foes. Japan may delay the settlement, but Japan alone cannot fight the world. What matters now is that we all fight, and by every available means in our power. If it must be bonds, make it bonds and for a good round sum. The future will be ours, not Hitler's!



"FILED FOR FUTURE REFERENCE"

Observation Car

By G.B.

This week's fish story comes from Willows Park, according to a letter from "R. M." It appears our friend drove to the park on business, and when about to leave, noticed a flat fish two feet long lying on the ground in the centre of an animated group of horsemen. "Did you catch it?" our correspondent asked a man who appeared to own the object. "No, the horse did," was the reply. "Tell that to Ripley," our friend remarked. "It was like this," the horseman explained, "and don't worry, I am going to tell it to Ripley. I was exercising this horse, called Mortgage Lifter, in a foot or two of water at Willows Beach. The animal kicked something silvery in the salt chuck, and first thing I knew this flat fish was lying half-alive on the beach" . . . Letter from a dry cleaner, now a corporal in the army: "I judge from newspaper reports that dry-cleaning establishments are up in the air over recent classification as non-essential industries. Every job in a dry-cleaning establishment from processing furs to delivering can be performed by women, and so far there have been enough of them to fill in the gaps left by those who joined the armed forces" . . . According to a recent radio broadcast, a woman telephoned a doctor that her war worker husband felt too ill to leave his bed. "Take his temperature and I will get in touch with you shortly," the physician advised. Half an hour later he called the woman and asked: "Did you take his temperature? What did the thermometer read?" The woman replied: "I borrowed a barometer from a neighbor. It read 'very dry,' so I gave him a bottle of beer and he got up and went to work as usual" . . . According to a retired major, it is not correct to say an officer is on furlough. Officers obtain leave, and the ranks obtain furloughs.

"I must find another tailor. This one reads too much."

"Reads too much?"

"Yes. Every time he writes to me he begins, 'On going through my books!'"

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of May 9, 1918)

U-Boat Menace Decreasing—Reduction from three to two per cent in the war risk insurance rate on hulls and cargoes of American steamers travelling through the war zone from American ports to Great Britain and the Atlantic coast of France was ordered today by Secretary McAdoo. With the decreasing effectiveness of the German submarine campaign the rate has been reduced gradually from 6½ per cent since last August. Vice-Admiral William H. Sims, commander of the National Naval Forces in the war zone, has said since the submarine campaign reached its highest point in April of last year, it has been going steadily down, while the tonnage of the Allies has gradually increased.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of May 9, 1893)

The Police Boat Arrives—A new naptha launch for the use of the Provincial police arrived over from Tacoma yesterday and will no doubt prove a convenience of importance to that body. The little craft is 25 feet long, supplied with a four horsepower engine, capable of driving her at a speed of eight knots an hour. The launch has a standing roof with good strong curtains about. Yesterday Chief Hussey took her out around the San Pedro on a trial trip, when everything about her worked like a charm.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily British Colonist of May 9, 1868)

Refusing to Assist at Fires—As several of our citizens may not be aware of the penalty which may be incurred from refusing to assist the fire department when called upon by the officers of the same, it may not be remiss to state that by law such persons are liable to be brought before the Mayor, who has the power to inflict such a fine. These remarks are made because we have been told that several persons refused to assist the already overworked firemen when called upon to do so at the late fire at Bunster's brewery.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length.

LAND ARMY

Sir,—At last the Emergency Farm Labor Service has been launched on Vancouver Island and according to an announcement in yesterday's press recruiting has begun at 909 Government Street, Victoria, B.C.

It is earnestly hoped that all—every man, woman and child who can spare any time, even a few hours a day for a few weeks—will offer their services without delay to the local branch. Their services are sorely needed in spite of an apparent tardiness on the part of farmers in filling up the questionnaire forms. Most farmers are fed up with filling up forms so are inclined to put them on one side, which, in this case, is a most unwise procedure.

Unfortunately this land army scheme has been started far too late this year and as a result many farmers despairing of getting seeding or harvest help have been forced to curtail their seeding operations or change to alternative crops, such as pasture, requiring less labor. This is another reason for tardiness in filling up the forms. A further one is that a number of farmers are waiting to find out what kind of help is available before completing their crop plans and applying for the necessary help.

General Pearkes' appeal for volunteer workers in the land army should encourage enlistment. It is also to be hoped that the general will use his authority to make service personnel available for the coming harvest season and that last year's refusal by his headquarters to a request to do this will be reversed. Much valuable crop was lost last year through lack of help.

General Pearkes may also be able to use his authority in obtaining the release from the armed forces of farmers' sons to work on the land, who were arbitrarily called up from the farms or were "induced" to volunteer before sanity began to prevail in the vital problem of our food supply.

SYDNEY PICKLES.

President, District "A," Farmers' Institutes of B.C., Sunstead Farm, Saanichton, B.C., May 8, 1943.

AN APPEAL

Sir,—I am writing this missive in the hope that the person who found the purse on No. 9 street car at 3 p.m. Friday containing the sum of $45 will refund same after reading this letter.

The circumstances are as follows: The greater amount of the money was earned by a young man at Yarrows, who for the past six months has been bedridden, his mother just having collected the cheque at Yarrows and cashed it in town. These good people being particular friends of mine, and knowing the circumstances, I felt duty bound to write this letter in the hope that the person concerned will feel it their duty to return same. The mother is resigned to the loss of other moneys than her son's cheque, which amounted to $38.

If this letter has the desired effect, kindly mail money to John McAlpine, 1505 Fort Street.

I might add that returning the purse and ration cards was much appreciated, and instinctively feel that the party concerned is not a thief but that the temptation was too great to resist.

Thanking you for your valuable space, I remain, yours truly,

CHARLES F. RAMSAY.

1232 Oscar Street, Victoria, B.C., May 8, 1943.

KITSILANO BOYS' BAND

Sir,—I would like to know why one of the outstanding musical treats of the season was so little advertised that hundreds, probably thousands, of Victorians knew nothing about it. I refer to the lovely and excellent performance of the Kitsilano Boys' Band at the Shrine Auditorium on the evening of May 4. I have heard some of the best bands in Europe and the United States, but have never been more thrilled than I was by its performance last Tuesday evening. The youth and enthusiasm of the boys are in themselves an inspiration, but, when coupled with rare artistry and technique such as they and their leader display, the performance is lifted into the sphere of the excellent and the best. The selections chosen made a perfect programme. Gem after gem, played with delightful artistry and spirit, inspired the audience as, I am sure, few band performances ever have done. The master of ceremonies, one of the "old boys" who toured England in 1934, where they were feted and appreciated as they deserved, was all that could be desired. Miss B. McVie's rendering of "Don't Be Angry With Me Sergeant" added just the note of humor and fun to the programme to make it perfect.

People soon forget, and, besides, there are thousands of new people in Victoria to whom the Kitsilano Boys' Band is only a name, but those of us who remember the days when people stood lined up for blocks to get in to hear it would never miss a chance to hear it; and "take it from me," this present band is just as good as it was then, and that is saying a great deal. I do hope the wonderful leader of the band will bring his boys back, to play next time in the Royal Victoria Theatre, and that it will be advertised so that the place will be packed. Music does not recognize international barriers, and surely no one would be so narrow as to be prejudiced because this famous band comes from Vancouver. Wherever they are from, the members of the band and their leader deserve the highest praise and appreciation.

We would be most fortunate if we could get them to play for us in the park sometime this coming Summer.

GRACE DUNLOP.

1029 Sutlej Street, Victoria, B.C., May 7, 1943.

FOR WINDBREAKERS

Sir,—At this time when new straw and felt hats are being bought by so many of us may I call to mind the need for old felt hats for the manufacture of windbreakers for the Merchant Marine.

We have supplied some 600 of these garments since the organization of our windbreaker department and have been asked to step up our production.

I am, therefore, appealing to the generosity of our many well wishers to help us in this work by leaving their old felt hats at British Bundles, 531 Bastion Street, or at the salvage office, 1218 Government Street.

All the felt hats are washed before using so that their condition when turned in is not too important.

The supply of windbreakers is of inestimable value to the men fighting their way through the cold and dangers of the supply routes and if our friends will help us we shall not fall down on the job.

The need for clothing in Britain is still great with many bombings of which we in Canada never even hear and we are still shipping many tons of our usual good new and reconditioned garments. The continued co-operation of the public is asked to aid us in keeping up the constant flow of assistance of this nature to the people of Britain. Parcels may be left at either of the two above addresses.

L. J. PEASE

Convener, British Bundles, 521 Bastion Street, Victoria, B.C., May 8, 1943.

Sunrise and Sunset

The dim-out period will commence at 9:08 tonight and continue until 5:11 on Monday morning. On Monday night it will begin at 9:09 and continue until 5:10 Tuesday morning.

MAY

Times of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of May, 1943.
(Add one hour for Pacific Daylight time.)

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	4.55	7.26	17	4.31	7.48
2	4.54	7.28	18	4.30	7.50
3	4.52	7.29	19	4.29	7.51
4	4.50	7.31	20	4.28	7.52
5	4.49	7.32	21	4.27	7.54
6	4.47	7.33	22	4.25	7.55
7	4.45	7.35	23	4.24	7.56
8	4.44	7.37	24	4.23	7.57
9	4.43	7.38	25	4.22	7.59
10	4.41	7.39	26	4.21	8.00
11	4.40	7.40	27	4.20	8.01
12	4.38	7.42	28	4.19	8.02
13	4.36	7.43	29	4.18	8.03
14	4.35	7.45	30	4.17	8.04
15	4.34	7.46	31	4.17	8.05
16	4.32	7.47			

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Brown's Grocery, Menzies Street, suggest SHEEN Furniture Polish. ***

The Eighth Column

By TOM TAYLOR

TIME-WORN IRON RATION

You would think that in this age of scientific achievement something better would have been evolved in the way of emergency food for soldiers in the field than the now time- [illegible] biscuits. You would think that after a decade of ballyhoo about calories, vitamins and proteins the food scientist would have come out of his laboratory with a product guaranteed to be eaten with some relish instead of with considerable distaste.

Bully beef was the great standby of our armies in the last war, and they tell me it was a well-known dish even in the Boer War. Yet the great discoveries of the modern era have by-passed this important field and our troops of today have nothing better to look forward to when the going gets tough. Emergency ration kits for air crews also contain plentiful supplies of this unimaginative foodstuff.

FAR FROM ATTRACTIVE

Although unavoidable, it is ironic, too, that iron rations have to be eaten at times when something more appetizing would do more good. In barracks or behind the lines, when the need is not so great, troops have a variety of food to keep their insides happy, but in action rations are necessarily scarcer and difficulties of supply often enforce prolonged periods of bully beef and biscuits.

Corned beef, the polite name for bully, is quite tasty as you buy it over the counter, but eaten out of the tins that reach men in the front line it is far from attractive. It is nutritious enough, no doubt, but when eaten day after day after day no more nauseating meal can be imagined.

TOO MUCH FOR HIM

I remember in the early part of the last war during one such period, watching a young soldier open his first overseas parcel. He literally beamed in anticipation of the delicacies he expected to find as he hurriedly tore the package open. Then his face dropped a mile, for thrusting its bulk upward from the rest of the contents were two tins of bully beef.

It was too much for him. He grabbed the tins and with a muttered imprecation hurled them far over the parapet towards the enemy trenches. If the sender ever heard of it, I am sure he was forgiven, for he had eaten all the bully he could stand.

FINAL JUDGMENT

It was bully beef and hard biscuits—and how fusty seem the latter—that was the mainstay of the Eighth Army during the concluding weeks of the desert campaign. An American correspondent, returned from Libya, tells how he reached the stage where bully filled him with such loathing that a meal with an American Air Force unit seemed like a Thanksgiving dinner. Even starving German prisoners turned their heads away when offered a tin of bully beef, for they had been eating it ever since the Germany army captured British food stores at Tobruk.

The final judgment on this inescapable iron ration, however, was surely that of the desert mouse which shared a jeep with the correspondent. He would eat the labels off cans and accept bread and cheese with alacrity, but bully he ignored.

Undying gratitude, and perhaps some fame and fortune, awaits the dietitian who comes to the rescue of the front line soldier and provides him with emergency nourishment that custom cannot stale.

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Tea or Coffee—Nos. 1 to 6.
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Butter—Nos. 6 to 9 (expiry date, May 31).

Tides at Victoria

MAY

Time of tides (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of May, 1943.

Date	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht. Ft.
1	0.32	7.9	7.08	4.4	13.48	8.6	18.46	4.4
2	0.58	8.1	7.48	3.5	13.56	8.7	19.18	5.0
3	1.27	8.1	8.25	2.6	15.09	8.8	20.17	5.5
4	1.54	8.3	9.04	2.1	17.45	8.9	20.59	6.1
5	2.18	8.3	9.44	1.5	18.54	7.7	21.40	6.6
6	2.35	8.2	10.25	1.5	19.53	7.4	22.22	7.1
7	2.41	8.1	11.06	1.6	20.51	7.6	23.10	7.4
8	2.25	7.9	11.47	1.7	21.48	7.9		
9	0.09	7.6	3.28	7.9	12.33	2.0	22.30	7.9
10					13.15	2.4	22.51	8.0
11					13.58	2.8	23.19	7.9
12					14.43	3.1	23.28	7.9
13					15.31	3.6	23.43	7.9
14	7.08	6.6	10.01	6.6	16.28	4.1	23.56	7.9
15	7.04	6.0	11.20	6.5	17.35	4.6		
16	0.12	8.0	7.16	5.2	12.48	8.1	18.17	5.0
17	0.34	8.1	7.40	3.4	13.45	8.4	19.08	5.5
18	0.58	8.4	8.11	2.6	14.40	8.6	19.48	5.9
19	1.24	8.6	8.47	1.6	16.41	8.0	20.20	6.4
20	1.48	8.7	9.26	0.9	18.41	7.1	21.13	6.9
21	2.09	8.8	10.09	0.5	19.40	7.6	22.00	7.1
22	2.20	8.8	10.56	0.4	20.32	7.9	22.55	7.5
23	2.35	8.6	11.44	0.5	21.45	8.1	23.07	7.8
24	3.00	8.2	12.33	0.9	21.51	8.2		
25	1.12	7.4	3.38	7.8	13.24	1.4	22.18	8.2
26	3.58	8.8	4.08	7.0	14.15	2.1	22.35	8.3
27	5.15	6.0	9.16	6.1	15.10	3.1	22.51	8.3
28	5.45	5.1	10.20	5.8	16.10	4.0	23.16	8.2
29	6.20	4.1	12.51	5.8	17.13	4.9	23.43	8.4
30	6.56	3.2	11.22	6.1	18.13	5.6		
31	0.12	8.4	7.34	2.4	14.36	8.7	19.06	6.3

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

To find the depth of water on the sill at the Esquimalt Drydock at any tide, add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

North Lincolnshire, England, has a Spring offensive of its own—against rats. District councils have offered four cents for the tail of every rat destroyed and so far 250,000 tails have been turned in.

About 150,000 tons of timber has been saved in two years by the British Ministry of Supply Timber Control by salvaging old boxes, wood from bombed houses and junk.

Envisions Prosperous Contented Farm Folk

Would Maintain Parity on Prices on Sales And Purchases in Period Following War

OTTAWA, May 8 (CP)—The requirements of a prosperous, contented farm population, enlarged in number and enjoying amenities now the privilege of urban residents, were described today by D. G. McKenzie, chairman of the Board of Grain Commissioners and head of the subcommittee on agricultural reconstruction. He spoke to the House of Commons Reconstruction and Re-establishment Committee. Provincial Premiers will be among others who will appear before the committee.

Mr. McKenzie said the "self-respecting and competent farmer should not have to go before a debt adjustment board; nor should he expect, from a long-distance point of view, that he would have to accept bonuses or handouts from Governments for any purpose whatsoever."

There should be an endeavor in the postwar period to maintain a parity of price between what the farmer gets for what he sells and what he pays for what he buys.

As to the past, Mr. McKenzie's brief questioned whether the Western farmer would not be in a better position today if his operating powers had been more restricted.

HIS HOME WOULD BE HIS OWN

"In that case his home, however humble, would be his own rather than belonging to his creditors."

Urging a survey of the debt situation among farmers, Mr. McKenzie said action to reduce the total farm debt burden to bring it in line with an amount consistent with the productivity of the land represented a difficult but important problem.

Provisions for a mortgage loan bank are being examined by the sub-committee, since it appears existing legislation in this regard requires expansion, he said.

In the provision of working capital or short-term loans, the development of co-operative credit unions in several provinces gave "indication of a sound approach to this problem." As a matter of policy, consideration should be given this form of providing moneys needed as working capital by farmers.

In the development of markets, there should be study of means of extending the present livestock quota shipments to the United States; negotiation of an agreement with the United Kingdom for continuation of a substantial proportion of Britain's bacon requirements; and negotiation of an agreement with Russia or other continental countries for the sale, for a period of ten years after the peace, of the livestock necessary for the re-establishment of herds.

NEW OUTLETS FOR FARM PRODUCTS

Scientific research indicated new outlets for farm products. Some 400,000,000 bushels of cereal grains might be used in the United States in 1944 in the production of industrial alcohol. Synthetic rubber, in which such alcohol was used, now was one of Canada's greatest needs.

In planning for postwar agricultural reconstruction, the first step should be a complete classification of all agricultural land in every province, based on soil surveys, Mr. McKenzie said. Then "intelligent plans and production programmes may proceed." Coincident with these studies, plans should be developed for the use of all precipitation and water supplies.

Assistance to farmers' sons desiring to take up land should be considered.

In view of the limitations of agriculture, it might be that Canada should seek to decentralize industry and establish manufacturing and productive activities in various areas which were suited to these activities.

Better homes for the farmer and his help were required to make farm life more attractive. As part of a national housing scheme applying to the farm as well as the city, a national home beautification campaign should be examined.

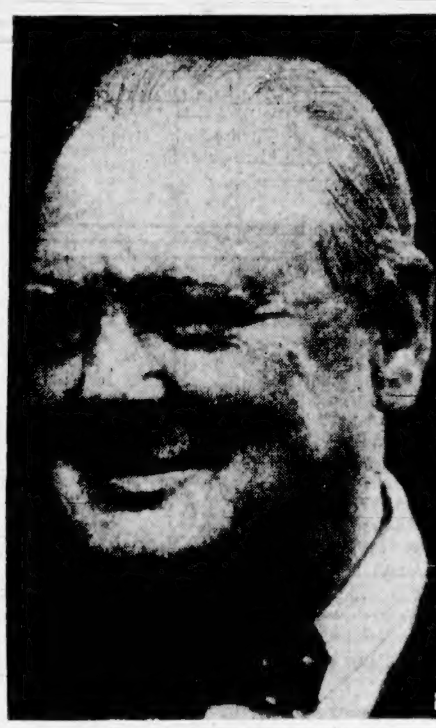
Rural communities might organize on a co-operative basis to subscribe part of the cost of community halls and other undertakings, the plan to be financed by the Dominion Government by way of loan to be repaid in fifteen or twenty years.

The local organization would be responsible for organizing various community activities, both educational and recreational.

Mobile Equipment Operated by Oak Bay A.R.P.

SOME of the mobile A.R.P. fire equipment in use in Oak Bay is that seen above being inspected by A. S. O. Musgrave, A.R.P. controller (left), Staff Sgt. G. A. Johnson, Provincial Civilian Protection Committee (centre), and Fire Chief E. G. Clayards, of the Oak Bay Fire Department. In the foreground is a truck donated by a resident, carrying a hand tank, home-made ladder, hose and axes, and towing a 150-gallon trailer pump issued by Federal authorities through the provincial organization. In the right background is a 500-gallon trailer pump attached to a second-hand truck which has been equipped by the Oak Bay A.R.P.

Lest We Forget . . .



PRIME MINISTER CHURCHILL

"Blood, Tears and Sweat" May 13, 1940

"I have nothing to offer but blood, toil, tears and sweat."
"You ask, what is our aim? I can answer in one word: Victory, victory at all costs, victory in spite of all terror, victory, however long and hard the road may be, for without victory there is no survival."

"Their Finest Hour" June 18, 1940

"The whole fury and might of the enemy must very soon be turned on us. Hitler knows that he will have to break us in this island or lose the war . . . Let us therefore brace ourselves to our duties, and so bear ourselves that, if the British Empire and its Commonwealth last for a thousand years, men will still say, 'This was their finest hour.'"

"So Many to So Few" August 20, 1940

The gratitude of every home in our Island, in our Empire, and indeed throughout the world . . . goes out to the British airmen who, undaunted by odds, unwearied in their constant challenge and mortal danger, are turning the tide of the world war by their prowess and by their devotion. Never in the field of human conflict was so much owed by so many to so few."

"Burn and Bleed" February 11, 1943

"The dominating aim which we set before ourselves in the conference at Casablanca was to engage the enemy's forces on land, sea and air on the largest possible scale and at the earliest possible moment . . . We have to make the enemy burn and bleed in every way that is physically and reasonably possible."

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A tour will be conducted again today at Victoria Machinery Depot when the gates will be open to the public from 12 noon to 12:20 p.m.

Directed by shipyard police, Victorians will have the opportunity to view ships in various stages of construction.

J. Rannie, shipyard manager, has made arrangements for the tour, which will take an open-air route past a ship with keel newly laid, another with shell half completed and two others in different phases of outfitting.

A broadcast commentary will be given by plant officials over the shipyard loudspeaker system.

The tour, organized on behalf of the Victory Loan, serves the purpose of showing the public, in part, the disposition of money invested in Victory bonds.

C. Clements, personnel manager, pointed out the key to support of the Allies overseas is shipping. "It is our Achilles' heel which the Nazi U-boats are unsuccessfully trying to cripple," he said. "It is no secret that freighters of the finest type are being built at local shipyards. Ships are now needed for all kinds of cargo. Besides war materials, for example, over 1,000,000 tons of foodstuffs have gone from North America to Russia alone on Victory ships."

The employees of Victoria Machinery Depot, besides building ships, have subscribed over $200,000 in Fourth Victory Loan bonds, an average of approximately $100 per subscriber.

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Mrs. Fred Forrest Pioneer Citizen of East Sooke, Dies

Mrs. Agnes H. Forrest, sixty-five years, wife of Captain Fred Forrest, who was born in East Sooke and had resided there all her life, died suddenly on Friday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Mrs. Forrest was the daughter of the late William and Mary Cartwright, pioneer residents of East Sooke, and received her early education there. She was well-known in Sooke district and Victoria, and leaves many friends who will regret to learn of her death.

She is survived by her widower; one daughter, Mrs. M. Waldon, of Ocean Falls, B.C.; two sons, Captain Arthur, of Victoria, and George, overseas; two brothers, Albert and Thomas Cartwright, Victoria, and four sisters, Mrs. Emily Freeman, East Sooke; Mrs. May Engelson, Seattle; Mrs. Bert White, 923 View Street, Victoria, and Mrs. Melvin Warnock, Kamloops, B.C.; two grandchildren, Barla and Anita Forrest; thirteen nieces and nephews and sixteen grandnieces and grandnephews.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday at 3:15 o'clock in Sands Mortuary Limited. Rev. George Biddle, of St. John's Church, will officiate and interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

F.O. Roy Haines Is Home After Escape From the Germans

Missing for three months when his Halifax bomber failed to return from a raid over the Ruhr, F.O. Alfred Roy Haines, D.F.C., who eventually escaped the Nazis, returned to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Haines, Cedar Hill Road, Friday.

Looking fit and happy to be home, the well-known island athlete, who carved a niche for himself in athletic circles prior to joining the R.C.A.F., would have nothing to say on his escape from the Germans. The story of his good fortune must remain a secret until after hostilities, for if any part of it was learned by the Nazis it might endanger other Allied airmen forced down in Europe.

F.O. ALFRED ROY HAINES

F.O. Haines was decorated for his display of "courage, fortitude and resource of a high order" during his escape.

Well known in provincial sporting circles as a baseball, soccer and basketball player, F.O. Haines was a school teacher before joining the colors in 1941.

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

STORY-TELLING PICTURES

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The snapshot of the boy and his model airplane makes an excellent single picture, and offers, too, excellent material for a step-by-step picture sequence.

ANY picture that tells a story—no matter how simple or everyday the story theme—is usually interesting. Today, however, a new story form is receiving wider and wider acceptance—that is, the picture sequence.

When a story is told in one picture, details must often be omitted. It is necessary to extract the essence of the story, and to summarize it in a single moment. But in the picture series or sequence, a story is told step by step. As many steps or details can be presented as the story demands and, in addition, the lapse of time can be shown.

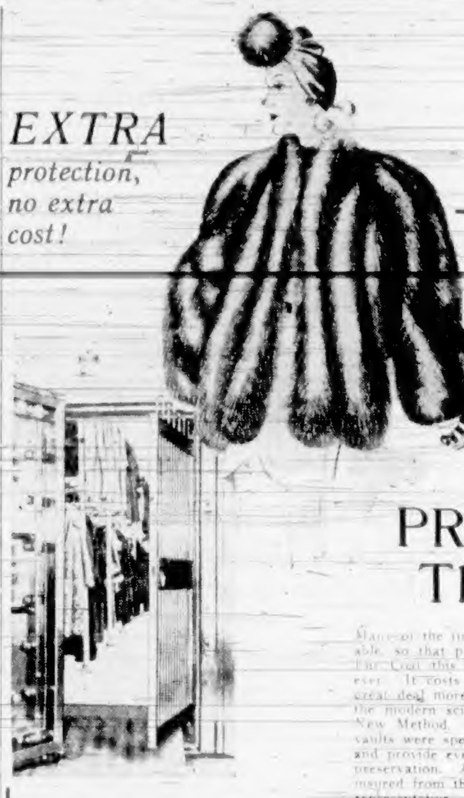
Consider the picture shown here of the small boy completing an airplane model. As a single "story-telling" picture it's excellent. But couldn't this story be told even more impressively by a step-by-step picture sequence?

The first picture in such a sequence might show the youngster poring over blueprints. The second, laying out material on a work table. The third, forming the skeleton on the model. And so on until finally, with a proud smile, he launches the plane for its first flight.

This is but an outline. Probably you can think of other steps, but that's part of the fun of planning and executing such a picture story. It's like writing a movie scenario—and there are dozens of simple everyday stories around any home that can be told easily and best in sequence form.

See if you can't think of at least one or two today. They're splendid training for more advanced picture making—and they'll certainly make a big hit with any service man.

John van Guilder.



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Liquor, Flat Tire And Cauliflower

As city police explain it, many citizens having purchased and probably consumed by now their May allotment of liquor, the usual Saturday rush of business in the booking office last night was practically nil. Barring the fertile-minded rumpot who is no respecter of Saturday or any other day on which he can get his twenty-four-hour supply, there were few arrests yesterday or last night in which drinking was a factor.

Still, the police were not wholly idle. There was, for example, the little woman who had her husband, a soldier, brought in because, she said, he had beaten her. Finding her unmarked, the police report reads, "she was advised to proceed by summons." Of the husband, it is recorded that "he had a cut on his head which he claimed had been done by his wife," and the report concludes, "he was taken to the Military Hospital by the Provost Corps."

Next, the lady who phoned that her car was stalled on Pandora Avenue between Government and Broad. Would the police please help her out? They did. She had a flat tire. They fixed it.

Churches continue to suffer at the hands of window-breaking boys. This time a batted or thrown ball went sailing through a pane, but, so a number of smaller boys told Constables Webb and Holmes, a larger boy, about fifteen, retrieved the ball "by going into the church with a pass key!"

Finally, the episode of Park Superintendent W. H. Warren's cauliflower plants, fifty of them, in a lot at Yates and Cook Streets, where Mr. Warren had been growing them for seed. All fifty plants were uprooted and left lying on the ground.

A.R.P. Activities

Oak Bay Auxiliary Police—All members of the force will meet at the Municipal Hall on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Oak Bay—Members of the medical services, and heads of all other branches of the A.R.P. organization will meet at the Municipal Hall tomorrow at 8 p.m. to hear a talk by Dr. Gordon Kenning, who recently returned from England.

Oak Bay Wardens Service — All wardens in District South will meet at their respective posts on Tuesday at 8 p.m. for instruction under patrol leaders. Wardens in District North will meet at their posts on Wednesday at 8 p.m. for similar instruction.

Oak Bay Medical Service—A.R.P. graduate nurses will meet in the Municipal Hall on Wednesday at 3 p.m.

Saanich District 3 — A special meeting for all personnel will be held on Wednesday at 8 p.m. at Mr. Hodgkinson's, 3201 Richmond Road.

District No. 8, James Bay — All wardens are requested to be on duty on Tuesday next at 20:00 hours to assist in the district-wide test. Messengers will report at the South Park School central room at 19:45 hours. Gas masks, helmets and arm bands should be worn. Residents are requested to assist wardens when necessary. City police auxiliary firemen, squad cars and other equipment will be on duty. "All clear" will be given about 21:30 hours.

District No. 1—A meeting will be held in Victoria West School on Wednesday at 8 p.m. to report on the house-to-house survey. A demonstration on the use of the stirrup pump and writing out a warden's report will be given.

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VANCOUVER, Wash., May 8 (AP)—Vancouver High School's senior play cast took the script too literally.

One scene called for Lloyd Boddy to be bound, gagged, placed in a coffin and left there—all of which was done expertly in rehearsal.

Long after rehearsal was over, the stage crew heard muffled cries from the coffin. Inside they found Boddy.

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Social and Personal

Miss Dorothy Van, R.N., is spending the week-end in Vancouver.

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Mr. J. Pyfe Smith, of Vancouver, is a visitor in Victoria, staying at the Empress Hotel.

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Mrs. H. W. Barnes, of Winnipeg, is visiting Victoria, a guest at the Empress Hotel.

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Mrs. Perle H. Corlett, of Calgary, is spending a few days in this city and is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

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Private and Mrs. D. M. Gazeley, Vancouver, are in Victoria today to attend the wedding of the latter's sister, Miss Muriel Ruth Oatway.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Newton, who have been staying at the Empress Hotel for the past four weeks, have left for their home in Winnipeg.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Brewster, of Banff, Alta., have arrived in Victoria and are registered at the Empress Hotel.

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Mrs. Gordon Gelvart, Vancouver, who was a guest at the Frost-Fallas wedding last evening, is spending the week-end with Mrs. C. Fallas, 3041 Donald Street.

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Lady Swettenham, who make her home at the Empress Hotel, was a visitor recently to Cowichan Station, V.I., where she was the guest of Captain and Mrs. A. Stockley.

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Mrs. John Fraser Piper and her small son, John, are arriving this morning from Prince Rupert to spend the next month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McDougall, Quadra Street.

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—Tea hour hostesses yesterday afternoon at the Empress Hotel included Miss Elizabeth King who entertained nine guests, and Miss K. Johnson who entertained ten guests.

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Mrs. Arthur Cree is entertaining a few friends today in honor of Mrs. Perley Robertson, of Ottawa, who is spending a month in Victoria visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Wright.

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Mrs. Spittal has arrived from Montreal to join her husband, Major Taylor Spittal, and they have taken up residence in the Mount Edward Apartments. Mrs. L. Maclean accompanied her daughter West and is visiting Major and Mrs. Spittal.

Returns to Coast

A.W.2 CYNTHIA ARNOLD, R.C.A.F. (W.D.)

Youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Arnold, Fort Street, has recently returned to the Coast from Toronto, and is now posted to No. 1 Recruiting Centre, R.C.A.F. (W.D.), Vancouver.

Mrs. C. W. Pepper, Cedar Hill Road, left Victoria recently to attend the graduating exercises at McGill University, Montreal, when her son, Mr. J. Pepper, will receive his Ph.D. degree. Mrs. Pepper also plans to visit her other son, Mr. T. Pepper, who is connected with the National Research Council at Ottawa.

According to word received by cable from Miss Price's cousin, Colonel Ayerst, Mrs. D. G. O. Ayerst and their daughters, Janet and Barbara, who were guests of Major and Mrs. G. Sisman, and Miss F. W. Price, 1024 Munro Street, have arrived in their home in England. They spent two and a half years in Victoria.

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Mrs. F. Morrow is leaving today for her home in Toronto, having been the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Lieutenant and Mrs. John T. Band, St. Charles Street, for the past few weeks. Mr. Morrow, who has also been visiting the Coast, will stay with Lieutenant and Mrs. Band for a short time before returning home.

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Presentations were made to the instructors of the Red Cross home nursing classes, following the closing examinations held during the week. Mrs. E. G. Robinson presented Mrs. Gerald McNaught, R.N., with a brief case and a corsage bouquet of sweet peas, while Mrs. D. P. McIntyre, R.N., and Miss Dorothy Van, R.N., each received handsome handbags.

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E. R. Cawley, manager of the Red Cross Superfluities Store, 1230 Government Street, makes the following request: "This week we have many customers waiting for Ronson lighters and cigarette cases, gold chains, bracelets, fish knives and forks, small teapots, gourmet bowls, fishing rods, birdcages and door knockers. Please do help us if you have anything saleable."

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Out-of-town guests attending the Doran-Gallop wedding on Friday evening included Mr. and Mrs. S. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. L. Humphrey, Nanaimo; Miss Zoe Doran, Port Alberni; Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and Miss Doran, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gallop, Belmont Avenue, left for their respective homes yesterday evening. Other Nanaimo friends of the groom present at the wedding were Messrs. Herbert Dutley, Gordon Batlane, B. Alexander and William Meen.

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The christening will be celebrated this afternoon at St. Paul's Anglican Church, Esquimalt, of the daughter of W.O.2 Coleman, R.C.A.F., and Mrs. Frank Coleman. The baby will receive the names Frances Loretta and Rev. Cecil Devenish will conduct the service. Godparents will be Miss Marjorie Macbean, Miss Katherine Johnson and P.O. George Williamson, R.C.A.F. Following the ceremony, a few friends will meet at the home of the baby's maternal grandparents, Major and Mrs. Glen C. Holland, "Craighurst," Munro Street, Esquimalt, for tea.

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Mrs. M. W. Dawson, president of the Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Association, entertained at a luncheon party at her home, "Twin Cedars," Gordon Head, on Friday, in honor of Dr. S. R. Laycock. Other invited guests were Mr. H. L. Campbell, inspector of schools; Alderman P. E. George and members of the council executive, Mrs. R. H. McInnes, Mrs. H. A. Beckwith, Mrs. William Blair, Mrs. Clayton Peters, Mrs. S. R. Harper, Mrs. D. B. M. Cartell, Mrs. W. R. Roskelly, Mrs. A. McKiernan, Mrs. H. J. Cunningham, Mrs. W. Gunn, Mrs. P. McMillan and Mrs. McGee.

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Very popular was the Saturday supper dance held at the Empress Hotel last night when among the many hosts were W. A. Sutton with fourteen guests, W. P. Daw with ten, and R. Sinclair and Lt. G. Fawcett with six each. Others who entertained at the dance were Lt. R. Beveridge, Sgt-Major Curtis, Cadet H. C. Cox, Major A. C. Barwick, Major E. G. Oldham, Major Diespecker, Lt. W. G. Dyer, Douglas Chambers, C. Brocklebank, Col. R. Kingham, W. J. Cameron, Mr. Charles Couch, Lt. J. A. Bertram, Flying Officer E. Rogers, Pilot Officer Volk, Lt. F. Drew, E. F. Coleman, Col. Gilbert, Major Schultz, Cadet R. Spencer, J. B. Hayes, Lt. J. D. Hull, Lt. H. E. McKay, A. E. Lashman, E. Parry.

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Yesterday afternoon Mrs. A. J. Robert, Richmond Avenue, gave a delightful party for her daughter, Michele, on her seventh birthday. A color scheme of pink and white was tastefully carried out in the decorations; the tea table being centred with Spring flowers in a shallow green bowl and lighted by pink tapers in silver holders. Balloons and favors marked the places and before the little guest of honor was placed a white cake topped with a lighted pink candle. An afternoon of jolly games was enjoyed by the children, all schoolmates, including Rosemary and Nigel Kent-Barber, Mary Beckton, Richard Roy, Paul Whitehouse, Julia Scruten, Mary-Jane Agar, Ann Copeland, Andree Lindsay, Betty Fowler, Joan Ross, Susan Edgell, Joan Cornish, Mary Biddle and Stephanie Quainton.

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Mrs. H. Shemilt entertained at tea recently in honor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Crowe, 3368 Douglas Street, on the occasion of their fifty-fifth wedding anniversary. The rooms were arranged with Spring flowers, and among the many gifts received was one from the Aged Pensioners' Association and one from the Cloverdale Unit Red Cross. Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. J. Wilson (Vancouver), Mrs. G. Stewart, Mrs. H. Shemilt and Mrs. H. Cresine. Other guests included Mrs. A. Crowe, Mrs. H. Rowe, Mrs. V. Dawkins, Mrs. K. Williams, Mrs. R. Benell, Mrs. W. McGregor, Mrs. J. Murray, Mrs. T. C. Sherwood, Mrs. W. Mills, Mrs. H. Gilew, Mrs. B. Giles, Mrs. H. Campbell, Mrs. F. Pinun, Mrs. C. L. Bishop, Mrs. W. Gale, Mrs. R. Clarke, Mrs. W. Roger, Mrs. J. Barrett and Messrs. Wood, L. Crowe and Stoker Arthur Heading, R.C.N.

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In honor of Mrs. C. M. Homer (nee MacAlpine), a delightful tea was held recently by fellow employees of David Spencer, Ltd., at the Wishbone Tearoom. On her arrival, the bride was presented with a charming corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds and mauve sweet peas. Mrs. Homer was the recipient also of a lovely bungalow set and several pieces of Pyrex ware. Mrs. E. Henry poured tea, assisted by Miss Eileen Scholes. Among those present were Mrs. G. Bullock, Mrs. C. Nichol, Mrs. P. Partridge, Mrs. D. Russell, Mrs. L. Clough, Mrs. E. Sced, Mrs. A. Berry, Mrs. E. Henry, Mrs. R. Davidson, Mrs. R. Knowles, and Misses Aline Brenen, Eleanor Gray, Edna Bennett, Mae Mellings, Kay Turner, Dolly MacAlpine, Doris McNeill, Eileen Scholes, Juanita McPherson, Eunice Vye, Kay Gregson, Kathleen Cornish, Pearl Meagher, Betty Honess, Emily Wakelyn, Marie Clarke, Violet Dickinson, Doreen Browning, Georgina Rymers, Beryl Earl and Donna Rex.

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Four Generations Will Celebrate Mother's Day

—By Staff Photographer.

A FAMILY of four generations will today celebrate Mother's Day at their home, 3615 Cadboro Bay Road, where Mrs. Henry B. Bell-Irving, formerly of Vancouver, wife of Lieut.-Cmdr. H. B. Bell-Irving, R.C.N.V.R., overseas, is making her home. With her is her mother, Mrs. Henry Pybus, also of Vancouver, and widow of Capt. Pybus, well-known seaman and for many years a sea captain. Visiting them is the former's daughter, Mrs. Edlef Jurgensen, who, with her fifteen-month-old son, Erik, recently arrived in Victoria from Montreal, en route to Mexico City to join Mr. Jurgensen. Mrs. Bell-Irving's three other daughters are all in Victoria. Mrs. James Rankin lives at 668 Yale Street, and Mrs. Cornelius Burke with her son, Malcolm, and Miss Nancy Bell-Irving are with their mother. Two sons, Major Henry Pybus (Budge) Bell-Irving, Seaforth Highlanders, and Squadron Leader Rodrick Bell-Irving, R.A.F., are both overseas.

First Week of May Is Favored for Weddings

WHEELOCK—RIDEWOOD

A profusion of white flowers, with Calla lilies and lily of the valley predominating, arranged in St. Matthias' Church, made a lovely setting for the wedding of Betty Ann, eldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Ridewood, St. Charles Street, and Lieut. Sidney Prince Wheelock, R.C.N.V.R., son of Mrs. F. E. Wheelock, Wolfville, Nova Scotia, and the late Dr. Wheelock, which took place at 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon. The ceremony was solemnized by Rev. E. G. Burges-Browne, assisted by Rev. A. M. McKetrick, naval chaplain, with the organist in attendance. The lovely bride was given away by her father, and wore a flowing gown of white printed organza with a long train and sleeves and a square neckline. Her veil was of white illusion net, and her round bouquet was of gardenias and lily of the valley. Girlish frocks of white organza with tucked bodices and long full skirts and red shoes were worn by the bridesmaid, who carried bouquets of red and white carnations and swainsona. Miss Pamela Jones, the maid of honor, and her sister, Miss Meg Jones and Miss Sheila Stewart, wore large candy-stripe picture hats of red and white organdy, and the bride's sisters, the Misses Jane and Elizabeth Ridewood wore red and white flowers in their hair. Surgeon Lieut. Gordon Wheelock, R.C.N.V.R., supported his brother, and acting as ushers were Pay-Lieut.-Commander C. J. Dillon, Lieut. John H. Lincoln, Lieut. David Fladgate and Pay-Lieut. Kenneth Roy, all R.C.N.V.R. A naval guard of honor with crossed swords was formed as the couple left the church. All white flowers were arranged at the home of the bride's parents for the reception where a host of friends was welcomed by Dr. and Mrs. Ridewood. Refreshments were served in a large marquee on the flower-bordered lawn, and after the toast to the bride had been given by Dr. F. Kincaid, the bride cut the cake with her husband's sword. For a honeymoon on the Island the bride chose a turquoise blue light wool dress with a small sailor hat with a brim of violets, a fawn topcoat with a fox collar and a boutonniere of lily of the valley and violas. Lieut. and Mrs. Wheelock will return to Victoria to reside.

The groom was formerly secretary to both Hon. J. L. Ilsley, Minister of Finance in the Dominion Government, and Hon. Angus MacDonald, Minister of National Defence for Naval Service.

DORAN—GALLOP

Hilda Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gallop, 2114 Belmont Avenue, became the bride of Sapper George Doran, R.C.E., son of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. Doran, Nanaimo, at a ceremony conducted by Rev. F. Comley at St. Alban's Church on Friday evening. Members of St. Alban's Senior Women's Auxiliary had beautifully decorated the church for the occasion with lilacs, tulips and narcissi. Mrs. F. Wilson was at the organ console, and Mrs. W. Garnham was soloist. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore white sheer posed over white satin. The gown was slightly en traîn, with long-waisted, tight-fitting bodice, and long pointed sleeves. Her embroidered veil was caught with a coronet of orange blossoms, and her bouquet was composed of pink roses, lily of the valley and heather. Her only ornament was a string of pearls. Attending the bride was her cousin, Miss Esther Allman, who wore dusty yellow sheer in long-waisted effect and full skirt. Her shoulder veil was caught with tiny flowers, and she carried pink snapdragons and blue iris. Sapper Stanley Doran, R.C.E., brother of the groom, was groomsman, and ushers were A.B. Douglas Gallop, R.C.N.V.R., and Mr. S. Robinson, Nanaimo. Guests were received at the reception following in St. Alban's Church Hall by Mr. and Mrs. Gallop and the groom's sister, Mrs. S. Robinson, and the young couple stood beneath a floral arch. A three-tier wedding cake centred the table, flanked by pink tapers in silver sconces. Sapper and Mrs. Doran are spending a honeymoon Up-Island, and will reside at 2114 Belmont Avenue.

FROST—FALLAS

Rev. James Hood officiated at the wedding of Alice, eldest daughter of Major and Mrs. C. Fallas, 3041 Donald Street, and A.B. Herbert Douglas Frost, R.C.N.V.R., youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. Frost, Edmonton, Alta., which took place in the Manse of Esquimalt United Church on Saturday evening. The bride was given in marriage by her grandfather, Mr. W. Dempster, owing to the absence of her father on active service, and wore a powder blue dress with brown accessories and a corsage buquet of gardenias. She was attended by her sister, Miss Audrey Fallas, in a gold and brown ensemble with a corsage bouquet of pink and gold rosebuds, and Leading Seaman Calvin Holmes, R.C.N.V.R., was groomsman. The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents in a pretty floral setting, and after the toast had been given by Mr. A. Rogers, the bride cut the cake which centred the buffet supper table decorated with vases of pink snapdragons, blue iris and narcissi, and ivory tapers. For a honeymoon in Vancouver the bride donned a beige topcoat with a wolf collar over her wedding outfit. A.B. and Mrs. Frost will make their home in Victoria. The bride's grandmother, Mrs. W. Dempster, and the groom's sister, Mrs. Gordon Gelvart, Vancouver, assisted Mrs. Fallas in welcoming the guests to the reception.

BISHOP—MURDOCH

At a largely attended wedding in Oak Bay United Church on Saturday evening, Adele Kathleen, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Murdoch, 3041 Chaucer Street, became the bride of Bdr. Roy Bishop, R.C.A., elder son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. E. Bishop, 1055 Pentrelew Place. Rev. J. Hood, of Esquimalt United Church, conducted the ceremony against a background of Calla lilies, mauve and pink stocks. Mr. L. Partington was at the organ, and Captain J. F. Petrie sang "O Promise Me" during the signing of the register. Given in marriage by her father, the bride was charming in a gown of white satin embossed with velvet daffodils, fashioned with a train and leg o' mutton sleeves. Her finger-tip veil was attached to a Mary Stuart headdress with clusters of orange blossom, and her bouquet of pink rosebuds and gardenias was showered with lily of the valley. Preceding the bride up the aisle were her attendants in full-skirted frocks of sheer with bishop sleeves. Miss Enid Bates, the maid of honor, was in pale yellow with a matching chapel veil and carried a bouquet of mauve stocks and yellow marguerites, and the bridesmaids were her sisters, the Misses Audrey and Joyce Murdoch, in mauve, with mauve and purple flower hats, who carried pink carnations and mauve sweet peas. Her younger sister, Betty Jean, the flower girl, was in pale green net over taffeta with a matching bow in her hair. She carried a Victorian posy of yellow roses and mauve sweet peas. Their brother, Lance-Sgt. Victor Murdoch, R.C.A., was groomsman, and Messrs. James Smith, Phil Braithwaite and Glenn Murdoch were ushers. The reception was held at 1416 Douglas Street, during which the couple stood beneath a floral arch to welcome the guests. Rev. J. Hood gave the toast, and afterwards the bride cut the cake which centred a table arranged with pink rosebuds and lily of the valley. Bdr. and Mrs. Bishop will live on Oak Bay Avenue, after a honeymoon on the Mainland. The bride left in a pale blue coat with a fox collar over a beige dress with brown accessories.

JOHNSTONE-HAMILTON

Spring flowers were charmingly arranged in St. Mary's Church for the wedding of Margaret Constance, second daughter of Mrs. A. V. Hamilton, 1397 St. David Street, and the late Major Hamilton, and Squadron Leader Norman Richard Johnstone, R.C.A.F., younger son of Mr. T. A. Johnstone, Winnipeg, and the late Mrs. Johnstone, which was solemnized by Ven. Archdeacon Nunns at 1:45 on Saturday afternoon. Mr. F. T. C. Wickett played the wedding music. The bride was given in marriage by Mr. Richard Cullen, an old family friend, and wore an afternoon frock of navy blue crepe with white accents, a navy hat and white accessories complemented by a corsage bouquet of white orchids and lily of the valley. Miss Phoebe Hamilton was her sister's bridesmaid in a pale green dress, a white hat and accessories and a corsage bouquet of gardenias and lily of the valley. Mr. Charles Proudfoot, Winnipeg, was groomsman. A small, informal reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, where the toast to the bride was given by Mr. G. Eastman. Vases of lily of the valley and lighted white tapers in silver candelabra flanked the cake which centred the refreshment table. Squadron Leader and Mrs. Johnstone left later for the Mainland en route to Sydney, N.S.

MIDLANE—KERGIN

—Miss Leah Winnifred Kergin, R.N., a 1941 graduate of St. Joseph's School of Nursing, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kergin, 1905 Davie Street, was married on April 26 to Mr. Arthur D. Midlane, of the United States Merchant Marine, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Midlane, Vancouver. The wedding took place in Minneapolis, Minn. Mrs. Midlane has been visiting her parents for a few days and will leave for Tranquille tomorrow to resume her duties on the staff of the Sanitarium. Mr. Midlane has returned to duty at New York.

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The final meeting of the First United Y.P.U. before the Summer holidays was held recently in the form of a social to which members of the Belmont Y.P.U. and senior C.O.I.T. girls were invited. A vote of thanks to Phil MacDonald and Jean Adams, who convened the social, was given by Peggy Pepper, who also welcomed the guests. The enjoyable programme included a "scavenger hunt," one of the items of which was to bring back five servicemen not already attending the meeting, humorous playlets and a sing-song led by Elsie Main. Vocal solos were given by Grace Adams. Helen McLellan, retiring president of Belmont Y.P.U., conducted a short closing devotional, after which refreshments were served.

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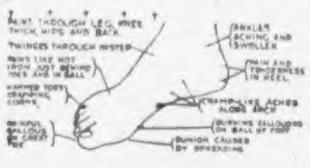

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Clubs and Societies

Hollywood L.A.
A very successful tea was held recently by the Hollywood Ladies' Aid to the Sunday School.

Elks W.A.
The Elks W.A. card party will be held on Thursday in the Elks' Hall at 8 o'clock.

V.O.N. Board Meeting
V.O.N. meeting Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the board room of the Pemberton Building.

W.A. to C.C.F.
The C.C.F. Women's Auxiliary will meet on Tuesday at 2 o'clock, Woodsworth Hall, Pandora Avenue.

St. John's W.A.
The St. John's Senior W.A. will meet in the auditorium next Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock.

St. John's L.G.
The members of St. John's Ladies' Guild will meet on Monday at the home of Mrs. L. Batchelor, 1977 Fairfield Road.

W.A. to R.C.N.
The business meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Royal Canadian Navy will be held on Tuesday at 2 o'clock at the Y.W.C.A.

W.A. to R.C.A.S.C.
The afternoon meeting of the R.C.A.S.C. Women's Auxiliary will be held at the Y.W.C.A. on Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock.

L.A. to Veterans
The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Army and Navy Veterans will hold a card party on Thursday at 2 o'clock in Room 301, Union Building.

Conservative Women
The Women's Conservative Association will meet at headquarters, Fort Street, on Thursday at 8 o'clock.

Court Maple Leaf
Court Maple Leaf, A.O.F. 9202, will meet in the Foresters Hall on Monday at 8 p.m. The usual business will take place, followed by a social evening.

Typographical W.A.
The quarterly meeting of the W.A. No. 65 to Typographical Union, No. 201, will be held on Thursday at 2 o'clock in the Jones Building, Fort Street.

St. Mary's Afternoon Branch
St. Mary's Afternoon Branch of the W.A. will meet on Thursday at 2:30 o'clock in the church hall when Mrs. E. V. Bird will speak on the Indian schools in Saskatchewan.

Queen City Chapter
Under the auspices of Queen City Chapter, No. 5, O.E.S., a Maytime dance will be held in the Shrine Hall on Wednesday evening from 9 until 12 o'clock. Cards will also be played.

B. and P. Women's Club
The members of the Business and Professional Women's Club are holding a dinner meeting in the clubrooms on Monday evening at 6:15 o'clock to be followed by a programme.

Colwood W.A.
Miss Rathbone, educational secretary of the Diocesan Board, will address the meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of St. John's Church, Colwood, on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Twenty-Seventh Regiment W.A.
The W.A. to the Twenty-Seventh Regiment will hold a sewing meeting at the home of Mrs. H. Robinson, 1260 Transit Road, at 2 o'clock on Monday afternoon when books for the batteries will be received.

Britannia Branch W.A.
W.A. to Britannia Branch, No. 7, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., will meet Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The regular card social will be held on May 13 at 8 o'clock. Cribbage and court whist will be played and refreshments served.

Hand Weavers' Guild
Victoria Hand Weavers' Guild will hold an exhibition of hand weaving on Saturday afternoon commencing at 2 o'clock at 391 Union Building. A demonstration will also be given of carding, spinning, weaving and card weaving.

Britannia Lodge, No. 216
The Britannia Lodge, I.O.B.A., No. 216, met recently when Mrs. C. Leask, assisted by Mrs. F. Cook, presided. It was decided to hold a sewing bee at the home of Mrs. Leask, 216 Mary Street, on Wednesday at 2 o'clock. Tea will be served by the hostess and Mrs. H. Hunter.

Venture Club
A meeting of the Venture Club was held recently in the Scollard Building. Mrs. Mar, a nutritionist, was the guest speaker for the evening and gave a very interesting and informative talk on food and food values. Miss Joyce Morley was presented with the War Savings Certificate. A bowling party has been planned for Monday, May 17.

W.A. to United Church
Group meetings of Oak Bay United Chuch W.A.: North group will meet at the home of Mrs. J. M. L. Alexander, 1751 Hampshire Road, on Monday at 2:45 o'clock. East group will meet at the home of Mrs. W. J. Graham, 2238 Brighton Avenue, on Monday at 2:45 o'clock, and West group will meet at the home of Mrs. A. R. McMillan, 2550 Musgrave Avenue, at 2:45 o'clock on Wednesday.

Daughters of St. George
The meeting of Princess Patricia Lodge, No. 238, was held on Friday evening in the S.O.E. Hall, the worthy president, Mrs. Edna Jackson, presiding. Mrs. K. Gaiger, district deputy, was present and exemplified the secret work of the order. Mrs. C. Hodnett, worthy president of Victoria Lodge, No. 83, was a visitor. Misses A. Brethour, J. Morrish, M. Restell, W. Rudd, E. Thomson and B. Wilkinson were initiated into the order. The comforter made by the drill team was presented to Mrs. M. Wright, and the pillow slips donated by Mrs. N. Tisdale were presented to Mrs. E. Restell.

W.A. to Forestry Corps
The meeting of the Victoria Auxiliary to the Canadian Forestry Corps (Overseas) was held on Friday at the home of Mrs. W. Akenhead, Quadra Street. Reports were received from Mrs. W. Restell, comforts committee; Miss B. Morley, cigarettes for overseas; and Mrs. F. Fields, ways and means. Final arrangements were made for the auxiliary's annual tag day to be held May 29, under the joint convenership of Mrs. Restell and Mrs. Raven. Plans were also discussed for the annual tea at the home of the honorary vice-president, Miss Sara Spencer, which will be a strawberry garden social. Letters from members of the corps overseas were read, expressing appreciation of the auxiliary's work.

"V" Club, Victoria West
The "V" Club, of Victoria West, is a group of patriotic and energetic women who are working to help in the war effort. Formed some four months ago, the group is limited to sixteen members, who meet each Wednesday afternoon to sew and knit and quilt. Each member is pledged to purchase one War Savings Stamp at each meeting. The completed folder is a prize at a contest and the winner is hostess for the following week. Besides purchasing War Savings Stamps which to date have reached the sum of $64, another $41 has been raised by small raffles and games. This was used to purchase flannelette, wool, and other material, and sixteen complete children's outfits are now ready for sending overseas to the bombed out areas. Six large quilts have also been pieced and completed. Mrs. H. Patterson is president of the club and Mrs. F. Waters is secretary.

Daughters of St. George
Mrs. J. Hodnett was re-elected president of the Daughters of St. George, Victoria Lodge, No. 83, at the recent meeting held in the S.O.E. Hall, when other appointments were made as follows: Vice-president, Mrs. C. Fairservice; first conductor, Mrs. L. Barnes; second conductor, Mrs. V. Greenwood; inside guard, Mrs. A. Hooper; outside guard, Mrs. R. Williams. Regular business was dealt with and Mrs. K. Gaiger reported on the successful card party and dance held last month when men of the three forces were entertained. The War Savings Certificates were presented to Mrs. N. Muckle and Mrs. Greenwood. After the meeting games were enjoyed. The next social meeting will be held on May 19 at 7:30 o'clock, to be followed by cards and dancing. The committee in charge comprises Mrs. M. Haines, Mrs. K. Gainger, Mrs. J. Hodnett and Mrs. J. Brien. 125 men of the forces will be guests of the lodge on this occasion.

Mother and Daughter Serving With Canada's Forces

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PRIVATE JOYCE HENRY, C.W.A.C.

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A.W.2 R. T. HENRY, R.C.A.F. (W.D.)

Pte. Joyce Henry enlisted last February with the C.W.A.C. and having completed her basic training at Vermilion, Alta., is now stationed at St. Mary's Priory Barracks, Vancouver. Her daughter, A.W.2 Rosalinde Thyra Henry, enlisted with the R.C.A.F. (W.D.) also in February, and had the distinction of being the 10,000th airwoman. Completing her training at Rockliffe, Ont., she is taking her trade training as equipment assistant in Trenton, Ont. Her father, Squadron Leader F. Henry, R.C.A.F., is stationed in Victoria with No. 2 Group Headquarters.

Joan Milloy Is Festival Winner In Vancouver

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP).—Joan Milloy, of Victoria, B.C., won first place in the competition for pianoforte under fifteen years at the British Columbia Musical Festival session in Vancouver today.

Dr. Frederick Staton, the adjudicator, awarded the young player a percentage of 88, stating that her playing was well contrasted, showed maintained rhythmic interest, adventurous, fine in attack and full of vitality.

By winning first place, Miss Milloy earned the right to compete in the junior pianoforte championship to be held on Tuesday evening.

Joan is the daughter of Mrs. P. Milloy, of this city, and her father is serving overseas with the Canadian Scottish. She is a pupil of Miss Dorothy Olivier.

W.A. to R.C.E. Is Holding First Tag Day, May 15

The Royal Canadian Engineers' Women's Auxiliary is sponoring its first tag day on May 15. Formerly one of the small auxiliaries comprising "Apascoe," the W.A. to the R.C.E. now has its own charter and its foremost aim is to supply 300 cigarettes regularly each month to every engineer who went overseas from Victoria. It is mainly for this purpose the tag day is being held. Headquarters on that day will be at the Victoria Hat Manufacturing Co., Ltd., and anyone willing to tag or help in any way may report there at 8:45 o'clock on May 15. Mrs. R. E. Wilking and Mrs. R. C. V. Bessonette are in charge of arrangements.

Many letters are received by the auxiliary from the boys overseas which are touching in their gratitude; in most cases the only cigarettes they receive are those from the W.A., as many of the sappers work far away from regimental headquarters, where "smokes" from home are distributed. The auxiliary makes a point of sending parcels of cigarettes to individual men and since a year ago last October not one batch, to the members' knowledge, has failed to reach its destination. Mrs. S. I. Ricketts is in charge of these shipments.

Knitted articles of all kinds are made and sent to every sapper on the list serving overseas. Shipments include sweaters, socks, helmets, scarves, gloves, and special presents are sent at Christmas and Easter. The members feel, however, the most important gift and the one most appreciated is the 300 cigarettes per man sent every month, and as long as the auxiliary is able to carry on the members are determined that the boys, so far from home, shall be sure of their ten cigarettes a day.

Schools of Nursing Announce Necessary Education Standard

All schools of nursing in British Columbia require applicants to have at least junior matriculation standing in general education. Most schools will give preference to applicants with higher standing, that is, in addition to junior matriculation, one or two years of university, or a business course, provided they have the other necessary qualifications.

There are seven training schools in British Columbia. For complete information as to their requirements candidates should communicate with the superintendent of nurses. A list of the seven schools follows:

The Royal Columbian Hospital, New Westminster; The Royal Inland Hospital, Kamloops; The Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria; St. Eugene Hospital, Cranbrook; St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria; Vancouver General Hospital, Vancouver, and St. Paul's Hospital, Vancouver.

City Council of Birmingham has enlisted the aid of children in planning the Birmingham of the future. In a booklet just brought out, showing suggestions for replanning, children are asked to submit ideas.

To Reside Here

— Photo by Savannah.

MR. AND MRS. A. J. RIDLAND

Whose marriage was celebrated recently at the Church of Our Lord. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Clarke, 204 Oswego Street, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ridland, 2749 Goeworth Road. Mr. and Mrs. Ridland have taken up residence at 2208 Stanley Avenue.

Women's Institutes

ESQUIMALT

Esquimalt Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. N. Kelly, 1357 Esquimalt Road, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

BRENTWOOD

The Brentwood Women's Institute will hold a meeting at the Institute Hall, Brentwood Bay, on Tuesday afternoon.

Engagements

Announcements to appear under this heading will be accepted at The Colonist Advertising Department. Minimum charge $1.50 for 10 lines, and 12c for each additional line.

Corporal and Mrs. D. Hendry, 618 Frances Avenue, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Eileen Emily, to Petty Officer Arthur Francis Brookman, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brookman, 998 Gorge Road, West. The wedding will take place May 15 at the Rainbow Sea Cadet Hall, Roberts Street, at 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mercer, Blenkinsop Road, wish to announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Phyllis Gertrude, to Mr. Donald L. Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelley, Alameda, California. The wedding will take place at St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, May 22, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon K. Beeston announce the engagement of their second daughter, Elaine Gainsborough, to Mr. James W. Orkney, of Yakima, Washington, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Orkney, of Hoquiam, Washington. The wedding will take place in Victoria on June 7.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Appleyard, 419 Powell Street, announce the engagement of their fourth daughter, Mollie Elizabeth, to Walter G. Meakes, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Meakes, Grand Forks, B.C. The wedding will take place at the Church of Our Lord on Tuesday evening, June 1, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Jeune, 1560 Gladstone Avenue, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Muriel May, to Mr. John J. Armstrong, only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Armstrong, 1533 Gladstone Avenue. The wedding will take place at the First United Church, Tuesday evening, June 1, 8:30 o'clock.

Mrs. M. Barter, 3029 Uplands Road, announces the engagement of her daughter, Jane, to 2nd Lieut. Gordon Thomson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Thomson, 2740 Dufferin Avenue, Victoria. The wedding will take place quietly this month.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Boyce, 662 Niagara Street, announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Audrey Florence (Biddy) to L.A.C. Norman Victor McCallion, R.C.A.F., eldest son of Mrs. E. McCallion, Winnipeg, Manitoba, and the late Mr. McCallion. The wedding will take place quietly on June 1.

Knits 100 Socks

— By Staff Photographer.

MISS BEATRICE OSGOOD

Who last year knit 100 pairs of socks for the Red Cross, and to date this year has knit three dozen pairs. Miss Osgood lives at 2227 Brighton Avenue, and buys the wool herself, saving the money from her allowance, and knits only in her spare time. When a dozen pairs are complete she takes them to the Red Cross, and she prefers to buy the wool "because she feels she is helping and doing her part," as her mother, Mrs. H. Osgood explained.

Bridal Attendants Must Conform to Board Regulations

June—traditional month of weddings—is near.

At long last, the almost overlooked father of the bride gets a break!

No longer need he anxiously contemplate the mounting cost of getting daughter married. The Wartime Prices and Trade Board decided to curtail elaborate wedding attire for the duration.

The board, not wishing to unduly blunt cupid's arrow, points out that the bride may still step afterwards in full-length gown of cream or white.

But — costumes of the bride's mother, bridesmaids or flower girls must conform to board regulations for them, no "long skirts." This is to conserve materials.

Custom or home dressmakers are advised that administrator's order No. A-474, governing manufacture of women's, misses' and children's wear, eliminates all fussy detail, overall tucking, shirring or pleating. "Minor trimming" is defined by the order.

War Correspondent Weds Army Nurse

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, May 8 (CP)—Ross Munro, war correspondent for The Canadian Press, and Lieut. Helen Stevens, of Dunnville, Ont., now serving with the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps at No. 1 Canadian General Hospital, were married today.

The groom is the son of Mrs. J. Ross Munro, of Toronto, and the late Mr. Munro. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stevens, of Dunnville.

Col. M. C. O'Neill, of Edmonton, assistant principal Roman Catholic chaplain at Canadian Military Headquarters, officiated at the ceremony which was held in St. John's Church. The bride was given away by Col. G. E. Wright, of Montreal, her commanding officer, and the matron of honor was Lieut. Thelma Dickson, of Toronto.

The groomsman was Lt.-Col. C. S. Wallace, of Toronto, chief of the Canadian Army Public Relations Unit in the field. The ushers were D. E. Burritt, superintendent of The Canadian Press London Bureau, and William Stewart, parliamentary correspondent of The Canadian Press.

The reception was held in the nursing sisters' mess of the hospital where Lieut. Stevens is a physiotherapist.

Honor Recent Bride

The home of Mrs. George Holt, Ten Mile Point, was the scene of a pretty post-nuptial surprise shower yesterday afternoon, arranged by Mrs. James McGuire in honor of Mrs. B. Quaintance, formerly Dorothy Holt, a teacher at Otter Point School. The bride received many lovely gifts which were enclosed in a "little red schoolhouse" mounted on a platform representing the schoolyard complete with flagpole and bell. It was drawn in by three little girls, Misses Elma and Joan Snider with little Joan Groff ringing the bell. Corsage bouquets were presented by Elma Snider to the bride and her mother and Mrs. E. C. Thompson, mother of the groom. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. P. Groff and Miss Elaine Fuller to more than fifty guests who had gathered to offer their best wishes to the bride.

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Back the Attack . . . . . . Be a CWAC!

Lance-Corporal C. V. Daphne Smith has a key position at Vancouver Barracks—she is a military switchboard operator. This department takes pride in the fact that it was the first to be taken over by the CWAC to release men for the fighting units. The operators are carefully investigated and tested prior to serving in this confidential position. L/Cpl. Smith says, "It is much more interesting than a civilian exchange, although the work is exacting as we handle a terrific number of calls. Our staff of eighteen girls, who work in shifts all day and night, have to be thoroughly trained in the use of military terms. Our pet peeve is that there are too many non-essential calls from civilians that may delay important military calls."

L/Cpl. Smith is one of the "originals" in the CWAC, having joined in October, 1941, before it became part of the Canadian Army. Her application was made out by Lt.-Col. Joan Kennedy, who is now Director of the whole CWAC.

CWAC girls are proud of their uniform and the interesting and important work they are doing in Canada's war effort. More girls and women are needed. Full information may be obtained from the CWAC Recruiting Office, 717 Granville Street (old Hotel Vancouver) or any national Selective Service Office.

Parent-Teacher Associations

OAKLANDS

On Friday evening Oaklands P.-T.A. will hold a court whist card party in the school auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Mr. T. Kay, Sr., will be in charge of the cards. Refreshments will be served. The affair will be held in aid of the fund for sports and recreational equipment for the pupils of the school.

VICTORIA WEST

A meeting of the Victoria West P.-T.A. will be held on Monday at 8 p.m. Election of officers for the coming year will take place, and will be followed by entertainment.

MOUNT DOUGLAS

The annual meeting of Mount Douglas P.-T.A. will be held in the High School auditorium on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. M. W. Dawson will give a report on the Parent-Teacher Federation Convention held in Vancouver. The officers for the coming year will be elected.

QUADRA

The Quadra Parent-Teacher Association sponsored a delightful tea recently in the auditorium of the school. About 100 guests were welcomed by Mrs. W. R. Rockelley, president, and Mr. G. H. E. Green, principal of the school. A special table for the old timers proved very popular. An attractive programme of songs and dances by the pupils was arranged by Miss Bradshaw and Mr. Green; accompanists were Mrs. G. H. E. Green and Miss Glendenning. Mrs. Pomeroy, the convener, was thanked by the president, and given a small token of appreciation. Special invited guests were members of the School Board and Mr. and Mrs. H. Campbell; representing Oaklands were Mrs. W. Blair and Mrs. Gordon; South Park, Mrs. D. B. M. Cantell, Mrs. McKiernan and Mrs. Moore; Margaret Jenkins, Mr. Clayton Peters.

LANGFORD

Miss H. E. Guy will conduct a quiz contest at the meeting of the Langford Parent-Teacher Association on Wednesday evening in the school. Mrs. A. F. Bayles will give a report of the recent conference held in Vancouver. The business meeting will commence at 7:45 o'clock.

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Miss Brandon to Give Illustrated Lecture

An illustrated lecture by Miss Constance J. Brandon, of London, is being sponsored by the Women's Union of the First Baptist Church in the lower auditorium of the church on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Miss Brandon is the international secretary of the World Dominion Movement, Inc., and her lecture is entitled "The Golden Casket," during the course of which she uses 100 beautifully-colored slides.

Girl Guide Notes

WEST DISTRICT

On Wednesday in the Y.W.C.A. at 8 o'clock there will be a meeting of the local association West District Girl Guides, when a report of the recent provincial convention held in Vancouver will be given.

Bridge-Tea to Aid Social Service Work of Auxiliary

Reservations are filling up rapidly for the bridge-tea to be held May 14 under the auspices of the Junior Women's Auxiliary of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, it was stated by the convener, Mrs. Norman Baker. The event, to take place in the Nurses' Home, starting at 2:30 o'clock, will take the place of the decorated table display which has formerly attracted thousands of Victorians and visitors [illegible] States every year. The display is canceled for the duration owing to the difficulties of transportation and other restrictions.

All proceeds of the event will be given to social service work, an important project of the auxiliary. This field of work has extended enormously since the war and it is hoped to be able to cope with the increasing problems with the added financial assistance the bridge will give.

Tea will be served and a contest has been arranged. Players are asked to bring their own table covers, cards and tallies. Mah jong may also be played, players providing their own equipment. Games may also be arranged at home. Mrs. H. G. Ellis is in charge of tea, and the assisting committee includes Mrs. R. B. Wilson, Mrs. J. Hewitt, Mrs. Gordon Mason, Mrs. J. A. Macdonnell and Mrs. B. S. Gorely.

Red Cross Notes

QUEEN MARY THANKS CANADIAN RED CROSS

Her Majesty, Queen Mary, has commanded that a message of thanks be sent to the Canadian Red Cross Society for its gifts to invalid children in Britain. Full text of the message written by her secretary is: "I am commanded by Queen Mary to write and ask you to convey to the Canadian Red Cross Society Her Majesty's warm thanks for their really munificent gifts to the Victoria Home for Invalid Children (formerly at Margate and now removed to Clewer, near Windsor), of which she has long been patron. The Queen's most grateful thanks are due to many generous workers and donors and to those who allot these splendid presents. To receive dozens of sheets and pillow cases, twenty afghans, 200 pounds of jam, two or three dozen children's outfits and beautiful dolls and toys is really overwhelming in these days! Nobody needs this generous help more than these suffering children and Her Majesty is proportionately grateful for such kind thought and such generous expression of it."

RED CROSS SHIRT BUTTON DRIVE

"Cut the buttons off that old shirt you are using for a duster and if you have no children of your own, give them to the neighbors' children to take to the Junior Red Cross," are the instructions of a Powell River Junior Red Cross Branch which is having a shirt button drive. Shirt buttons are badly needed by the local Red Cross and cannot be bought locally.

GRANNY PRICE KNITS 100 PAIRS SOCKS

West Hulcar Circle of the Armstrong Red Cross Branch reports that "more than 100 pairs of socks knitted by 'Granny' Price, the oldest member of the circle, were included in the last shipment of supplies."

RED CROSS HAS MEMBERSHIP BOOTH

Kimberley Red Cross Branch had a Red Cross membership booth in a local store, where many new members were enrolled. A donation of $500 was received from the Patriotic Society.

ACKNOWLEDGES RECEIPT

The honorary treasurer of the Victoria City and District Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society acknowledges receipt of the following donations: Metchosin Unit, $120.40 (sale of governess cart, $50, and flower show, $70.40); Gorge Unit, $43.50 (proceeds of R.A.F. "Smile" show); Gorge Unit, $10.50 (sale of pictures); Strawberry Unit, $60 (tea); St. Columba Unit, $44 (tea and sale of home cooking); Civil Service Unit, $4.60 (post-a-penny); Canadian Red Cross, $20.10 (post-a-penny); Cordova Bay Unit, $14.70 (proceeds of tea); North Saanich and Sidney Unit, $35.60 (quilt draw $19.10, Russian Relief $5, donations $11.50); Cloverdale Unit, $9.80 (card party $8.70, collection box $1.10); Cadboro Bay Unit, $2.64 (post-a-penny); Prospect Lake Unit, $9; proceeds scrap copper per Capital Iron & Metals, Ltd., $7; miscellaneous donations, $43.50; donations at Superfluities Store, $7; Prisoners of War Fund, $89. Campaign pledges are payable at 602 Broughton Street.

TO PARADE MONDAY

All members of No. 1 Detachment, Canadian Red Cross Corps, will parade Monday at Christ Church Memorial Hall at 19:45 hours. Orderly officer for the week is Section Leader Ward and next for duty Section Leader Heald; orderly corporals for the week, Cpl. Burrows and Cpl. Murray; next for duty, Cpls. Stewart and Boyd. All N.C.O.'s to report to R.S.M. for inspection at 19:35 hours. No. 1 Section will take examination on motor mechanics. Sections 2 and 4 will take lecture on physiology and anatomy by Miss Webber, R.N., and Section 3 will do clerical work at branch office and corps office. M. Bailey, Section 3, has been promoted to acting corporal. The promotion of Acting C.S.M. Holmes, Section 2, to be C.S.M. has been confirmed. Drill will be given by Staff Sgt. Goodland.

COLUMBA UNIT

The Columba Unit of the Red Cross will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Greenwood, Burnside Road, on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Technicolor motion pictures of fighting between United States and Axis forces in North Africa are being shown American and British troops training in Britain.

Two-Gun Claudia

Born to the saddle Claudia is gaining fame as a shootin' star of Hollywood movies. She can ride and rope with the most daring of cowpunchers. The Hollywood trend is to emphasize feminine interest in Westerns.

Visitors From Santa Ynez Valley

—By Staff Photographer.

MRS. LANDON BARNES

WHO, with her young son, Michael, is spending a few weeks in Victoria, the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Ridewood, St. Charles Street. Mrs. Barnes, whose home is in Santa Ynez Valley, Calif., came to attend the marriage of her niece, the former Miss Ann Ridewood, to Lieut. S. P. Wheelock, R.C.N.V.R., solemnized yesterday. Before her marriage Mrs. Barnes resided in Victoria and will be recalled by many friends as Elizabeth Medd.

Arion Club Has Pride in Record

The Arion Club male voice choir, which will observe its fiftieth anniversary on May 17 with a concert at the Royal Victoria Theatre, and takes pride in the fact that it has outlived scores of musical organizations here, is the oldest male voice choir in Canada, and the oldest in the Pacific Northwest.

This year, following its custom since organization of giving at least one concert a year for a worthy charity, it will appear for the benefit of the Kinsmen Milk for Britain Fund.

Guest soloist will be Miss Patsy Swift, who appeared on many concert platforms here and once led the ladies' open class in one of the music festivals, and who has since been studying in Chicago. In a recent appearance before an independent board of examiners in Chicago, she was awarded a mark of 100 per cent.

Three conductors will lead the forty members in their selections, and Mrs. Clifford Warn, accompanist for many years, will act again in that capacity.

Diner: This soup's very thin, waiter.

Waiter: Yes, sir. The manager likes the people to admire the design on the plate.

New Glamour Dress

For the street-length glamour frock that goes everywhere, looking fresh and new at each appearance, Adele Simpson presents this short black frock in supple, jet-black rayon crepe draped and molded on deceptively simple lines. Newsworthy is the low neckline and the rippled cap sleeves. This is the type of new short dress that can be worn with a dozen accessory changes—jewels and flowers, pastel gloves and picture hats.

I.O.D.E. Chapters

Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter

The cover proof of the centenary booklet, published by the chapter and the British Columbia Historical Society and which will be on sale shortly, was on display Thursday at a meeting of Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., with Mrs. A. S. Christie presiding. Conveners for the sale of books are Mrs. Bertha Parsons and Miss K. Jaffray. The general committee includes Mrs. S. R. Bowden, Mrs. B. Patterson, Mrs. Lincoln Smith, Mrs. F. F. Beckett, Mrs. D. J. Mugford, Mrs. C. A. Yardley, Mrs. B. Colclough. Miss K. Jaffray gave the treasurer's report, also the financial report of the tea held recently at the Y.W.C.A. As a result of this affair a nice sum has been added to the war work account. Thanks were extended to Mrs. Bertha Parsons, convener, and other members who assisted. Mrs. J. T. Williams gave the war convener's report. Goods to the value of $19.70 were sent to Municipal Chapter last month. Mrs. A. S. Christie gave the report of the Provincial Chapter meeting, and she reported Victoria was particularly commended for war work. Mrs. Christie was thanked for her report. Mrs. Beckett reminded members to meet at 9:45 o'clock at Queen Victoria's Monument on Friday, May 21, to attend the annual Empire Day service.

Municipal Chapter

Victoria Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., executive committee will meet at headquarters on Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Mary Croft Chapter

The meeting of Mary Croft Esquimalt Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held on Monday afternoon at headquarters, View Street, at 2 o'clock.

Sir M. B. Begbie Chapter

Members of Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie Chapter, I.O.D.E., will hold a knitting meeting at the home of Mrs. H. D. Parizeau, 935 Richmond Avenue, on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Recruiting for R.C.A.F. (W.D.)

—By Staff Photographer.

SECTION OFFICER L. E. GLENN

Who will return to Victoria the first week in June in the interests of recruiting for the R.C.A.F. (W.D.). She recently completed a week's recruiting here and said before she left for Vancouver "it has been a most satisfactory visit, and I am looking forward to my return here."

Schools Not Exempt From Aerial Attack

WASHINGTON, May 8 (AP).—American schools are not exempt from air attack, Civilian Defence Director James M. Landis warned today, urging a check-up on the protection measures for the nation's 30,000,000 school children.

The particular situation for each school must be considered, he said, to determine the best method of protection. The time to evacuate a school will always be short—seldom more than three minutes, usually less than fifteen, he declared.

"It is no solution," a summary issued by his office points out, "to evacuate children from a poor building to a good shelter too far away to reach within the known time limit. This would then expose them to bombing out of doors, and to the tons of shell fragments from anti-aircraft fire and to traffic."

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Discussing the place of advertising, Mr. Brown ... as follows:

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WON NEW LAURELS

Continuing and speaking specifically of advertising, he said:

"I should like to say a word in particular about the press. Of the three great media of propaganda—the press, the radio and the films—the press is today the only one which provides a forum for relatively free discussion.

"If advertising in Canada is trusted because of its integrity, the press of Canada has won universal renown.

"The abuses of the press prevalent in other countries, are the exception in Canada. By its war record—reliable information comprehensively gathered, ably edited, sanely presented — the press has won new laurels."

PRICELESS

Mr. Brown further expressed his opinion:

"I have unlimited faith in the capacity of the average Canadian for straight thinking, provided he or she is properly informed. Lack of information always has been the root of misunderstanding, of suspicion and prejudice, and, in a country as large as ours, the possibility of cleavage in public opinion, disastrous when applied to our national problems in peace as well as in war, is great.

"Here is a stage ideal for the role of advertising and of the press. I predict that Canada, profiting by the experience of war days, will use both in ever-increasing degree.

"Without detracting in any way from the roles which other media will play, I am confident that advertising and press together will render priceless service in affording Canada that middle-of-the-road stability and happiness we all covet."

Brother and Sister in Air Force

L.A.W. INA COFFEY

FLT. SGT. S. E. COFFEY

MR. and Mrs. R. E. Coffey, 3219 Wascana Street, recently entertained their son and daughter seen above, both of whom were home on leave from the R.C.A.F. Leading Airwoman Coffey joined the R.C.A.F. (W.D.) in May, 1942, and following training at Rockcliffe and St. Thomas, has been stationed in the equipment section at No. 15 F.T.S., Claresholm, Alta. Her brother enlisted in July, 1941. While training at Brandon, he was in the honor guard formed for the visit of the late Duke of Kent when he toured Canada, and had a few words with His Royal Highness. He also trained at Calgary, and is now a wireless air gunner on active service.

Malta's Church Bells Ring to Mark Victories

VALETTA, Malta, May 8 (CP).—Malta's church bells, silent since Italy entered the war in May, 1940, pealed out triumphant today in celebration of the Allied victory in Tunisia.

One bell which announced the raising of a siege in 1565 added its rhythm to the peal in the beflagged and scarred island, which has stood firm as an Empire outpost in the Mediterranean under the most concentrated air assault in history.

The quickest annual flower to bloom is leptosyne stillmanii, which will bear flowers in five weeks from seed. The plant grows eighteen inches tall and the flowers are yellow daisies, borne for a long season.

General Warns Raids Likely

NEW YORK, May 8 (AP).—Maj.-Gen. Ralph Royce, commandant of the First Air Force Command, declared tonight that the beating the German Luftwaffe has been taking in Africa and Russia makes the possibility of an air raid on the United States "so real and, in my opinion, so immediate we have no right to regard it as less than a probability."

Interviewed by News Commentator Baukhage over the Blue network, General Royce said the Germans had several ways of making the raids—by planes under their own power, by converted freighters which could be used as aircraft carriers, and possibly by submarines bringing in small float planes with folding wings.

"The Nazis have got to have some good news for their own people," he said. "They have been thoroughly licked in Africa and Russia . . . It would help Hitler a lot if he could say to his people, 'German planes are still in the air and strike where they please.'

"A fine story about the bombing of New York's skyscrapers and the Capitol and the White House would help German morale a lot . . . Our truculent daylight bombing of German cities have had their effect on the German people. The German press has already promised reprisals and Goebbels may find he has to make good."

Loses No Time

OTTAWA, May 8 (CP).—Pilot Officer Eddie (Joe) Penner, air gunner from Clarks Crossing, near Saskatoon, set some sort of record for getting into the air after reporting to his Boston bomber squadron in North Africa.

"Two hours after Eddie arrived by air from Great Britain a trip came up and, at his own request, he was given the opportunity of doing his first operational flight in this theatre of war," said R.C.A.F. headquarters.

Penner's comment was: "I liked it fine. The Boston is a swell little kite."

In Penner's crew on his first operational trip was another Canadian, Sergeant A. W. Switzer, of Revelstoke, B.C.

Welles Warns

TOLEDO, O., May 8 (AP).—Sumner Welles, undersecretary of state, declared tonight that repudiation of the Trade Agreements Act in Congress would strike "a heavy blow" at hopes for an everlasting end to war.

"If the United States repudiates the Trade Agreements Act, either outright or by crippling amendments, if it thus repudiates the idea of economic nonaggression, it will have destroyed the stuff of which peace is made, it will have struck a heavy blow at the hopes of mankind for ridding this world of the scourge of war and for creating a just, a workable and a lasting peace," he told a forum on peace problems.

Welles spoke only thirty-six hours before the opening of general debate in the House of Representatives on a measure to renew the President's authority to negotiate reciprocal trade agreements, providing for mutual tariff adjustments. The authority first was granted in 1934 and has been twice renewed for three-year periods. Some members of Congress are insisting that the current renewal carry with it a Congressional power to veto any agreements it does not approve.

Duke of Windsor Does Not Recall Rev. R. A. Jardine

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., May 8 (AP).—The Duke of Windsor was told by a reporter today that Rev. Robert Anderson Jardine and his wife had been arrested at Los Angeles on a deportation warrant charging them with over-staying their time in the United States.

The name didn't strike a responsive chord in the Duke's memory until he was reminded that it was Jardine who married him to the former Wallis Warfield, at Cannes, France, in a ceremony several months after Edward renounced the British Throne.

"Oh, yes," the Duke said. "I haven't heard from him in a long time."

The Duke said he knew of nothing that he could do to help Jardine.

WHEN THEY COME BACK

When they come back,
If blossoms do—
I always feel a doubt
If blossoms can be born again
When once the art is out.

When they begin,
If robins may—
I always had a fear
I did not tell, it was their last
Experiment last year.

When it is May,
If May return—
Had nobody a pang
Lest on a face so beautiful
He might not look again?

If I am there—
One does not know
What party one may be
Tomorrow—but if I am there
I take back all I say.

—By Emily Dickinson.

U.S. Surprised By Quick Win

WASHINGTON, May 8 (AP).—The speed with which Allied troops shattered the Axis bastion of Northern Tunisia brought surprise as well as obvious delight in Washington today.

As described here, the final phase of the fight which resulted in the fall of Tunis and Bizerte appeared to have begun less than a week ago when the British First Army seized ... in a savage assault that took Djebel Bou Aoukaz and the Eleventh United States Army Corps swept up Hill 609—thirteen miles southwest of Mateur.

Djebel Bou Aoukaz was the main peg in the German line, and its fall opened the road to Tunis, toward which the First Army turned immediately, seizing Massicault and pocketing the Axis forces around Tebourba between their lines and the Americans swinging down from Mateur.

HAD PEGGED DEFENCE TO "HILL 609"

Similarly, on the 2,000-foot eminence termed by military strategists "Hill 609," the Germans had pegged their defence of the approaches of Bizerte. When that fell, it was only a matter of two days before the United States forces fought their way into Mateur, vital rail and highway junctions of Northern Tunisia.

Below Tunis, what is left of Marshal Erwin Rommel's Africa Korps faces the British Eighth Army and the French troops in a shortened line above Enfidaville and Pont du Fahs. Threatened now from the rear by troops of the First Army in Tunis, withdrawal toward Cap Bon seems their only chance to escape immediate decimation. Even in the peninsula they could hardly hold out long.

Coralbells for Border Plantings

Coralbells are suitable for border plantings or to lend distinction to the rock garden. Belonging to the Saxifragaceae, a large family comprising more than seventy species, this herbaceous perennial and its hybrids hold special interest for the gardener. It is essentially the most dramatic member of the family, while its refinement and pleasing qualities dominate any spot.

This is due, in part, to its habit of growth. The low compact mass of leaves, beautiful in color and pattern, would be decorative even without bloom. They remain green all Winter and sometimes assume tones of red and bronze after a touch of frost. Through the rosette of foliage innumerable wiry stems ending in loose panicles of coral-red flowerets appear. These may reach a height of two feet under favorable conditions.

While it is not difficult to grow, Heuchera sanguinea shows a marked preference for certain conditions of soil and light. If it does not thrive at first it may be shifted about until more suitable conditions are found and will repay with interest any study given its needs. Generally it does well in enriched loam where full morning sunlight is to be had. Partial shade, at least from hot afternoon sun, is desirable, although not essential. Much will depend on the amount of moisture the plant receives and how well the earth is shaded immediately over its surface roots.

As a rock garden subject it is priceless. Once its wants have been determined, pockets of the proper soil can be made. It flourishes among rocks, in spots not too dry, where the roots find necessary moisture and protection. Planted against drifts of dwarf bleeding heart (Dicentra eximia) edged with house leeks (Sempervivum), it gives a distinctive character to the planting. The blooming season is long, from June to September, and the dainty sprays of bells combine admirably in flower arrangements. Heuchera sanguinea is the most familiar variety of the family, but superb hybrids ranging through white, pink, rose and crimson tones deserve wider cultivation. Some of the colors are so electric in quality that a single spray has a rare carrying effect. Here is a small plant with a forceful personality.

Where large spaces in the rock garden are to be covered it is a good choice, due to its habit of spreading. Preferably in August or September plants are divided.

HUGE MILITARY FUNERAL

REYKJAVIK, Iceland, May 8 (AP).—As Taps were sounded, fourteen caskets were lowered into the ground at the American Cemetery this morning when Lieut.-Gen. Frank M. Andrews, Bishop Adna Wright Leonard and their companions who died with them in an airplane crash last Monday were buried.

Flags flew at half-staff in this capital city as the largest military funeral ever held in Iceland took place from Reykjavik's two cathedrals, Protestant and Catholic.

Charles is one of those people who always try to look on the bright side of things. Well, one day he saw a little fellow weeping his eyes out, so he crossed over the road to see if he could help.

"And what's the matter?" he asked.

"Boo-oo," wept the youngster, pointing to a broken egg on the ground. "I threw that egg up in the air, but didn't catch it. Boo-oo."

"Never mind," said Charles cheerfully, "you'll 'catch it' when you get home."

Modern plant foods are quick acting, and are available to plants before the weather warms up. Well fed in the beginning, plants will soon become sturdy enough to forage more effectively for themselves.

Neil Coleman, nineteen-year-old Manchester, England, junior radio officer, grabbed two dangling wires when his ship was torpedoed and completed a circuit which permitted an SOS to be flashed. He received the M.B.E.

"I know that I'm not good enough for you."

"You wouldn't be. But I've found that the good men die young, and I don't look well in black."

Are you in your YOUTHFUL 40's?

Everyone knows people who look far younger than their years—who radiate health, pep and good humor. Yet most people, especially over 40, allow a very small thing to slow them up, rob them of that glad-to-be-alive feeling which is the basis of youth and personality.

Yes, your system is like an engine—it must be kept clean and smooth-running or it backfires and makes you feel and LOOK half-sick! A sluggish system clogged with poisonous food waste can be quickly and gently cleansed with a purely vegetable remedy — Bile Beans. These small laxative pills contain 10 concentrated vegetable extracts that have an amazingly gentle 4-way action on liver bile, stomach, upper and lower bowels.

For brighter, peppier days, let Bile Beans coax the system into healthy regularity, pleasantly, ever so gently—not harshly like cheap laxatives. Be convinced—get Bile Beans at any druggist, only 50c. Made in England. Over 7 million boxes sold last year, proof of amazing popularity. You'll be glad you tried them.

BURGESS BATTERIES

"Build B.C. Payrolls"

Another 3 Million Pounds

The R.A.F. has dropped another 3,000,000 pounds of TNT, 1,500 tons, on one town to bring the war to a close and Pacific Milk is helping.

The reason for the shortage, Pacific Milk has gone to the British Ministry of Food but now is again appearing on the grocers' shelves.

Pacific MILK

Irradiated and Vacuum Packed

RICH IN FOOD ESSENTIALS

All the wonderful nourishment of the soybean, plus a rich, nut-like flavor. Makes delicious sandwiches and improves baking. AT ALL GROCERS

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A MARI USQUE AD MARE

A MARI USQUE AD MARE

(From Sea to Sea)

The coat of arms of Canada is a development of the great seal designed shortly after Confederation and approved by royal warrant in 1868. The arms are those of our mother races—the English, Scottish, Irish and French—surmounted by the imperial crown. The crest, just below the crown, is a lion holding in its paw a red maple leaf, symbolic of Canada's sacrifices in the last war. The supporters, to left and right, are the lion and unicorn of the royal arms; the lion upholds the Union Jack, the unicorn the ancient banner of France.

The motto—A MARI USQUE AD MARE—is an extract from the Latin version of the eighth verse of the 72nd psalm—"He shall have dominion also from sea to sea and from the river unto the ends of the earth."

"From sea to sea" our sons have taken up arms against the forces of evil. Many, by now, have crossed other seas, strange and far away. Many are fighting in remote corners of the earth. And in the long hours of loneliness or danger, three things sustain them ... *Faith* in their cause ... *Hope* for the future ... *Love* of their land. ✦ Let us, at home, put our effort behind their faith ... let us keep their hope burning with our work and thrift ... let us make our land worthy of their love and pride. ✦ Let us stand united in the purchase of Victory Bonds ... war bonds, now ... but bonds of peace when our victorious sons come home again. ✦ Our share in the new Victory Loan will be the measure of our loyalty, not only to our country, but to those countrymen of ours who, day in and day out, are at grips with the foe. Canada calls on us to back their attack by purchasing Victory Bonds to the limit!

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Going! Going! Gone!

By STEPHEN LEACOCK

NEXT me in Jeff's Barber Shop in Mariposa there sat this morning a country feller, at a guess, from thirty-five to sixty-five years old. "Were you out at the sale at Crittenden's yesterday?" he asked.

"No," I said. "Where's Crittenden's?"

"Crittenden's," he answered in amazement, "why, right next the Ames place!"

"Where's that?" I asked. [illegible] Jem Crowder."

I let it go at that.

"No," I said, "I wasn't there."

"Well, sir," said the country feller, "you'd oughter been. It was a caution. I seen a [illegible] go for thirty dollars."

I didn't know whether that meant a lot or a little. But the audience in the barber shop did. "Gosh," they said.

"Yes sir, a [illegible] years old and with a broken [illegible] for ten dollars, more than it cost ten years ago."

"There was an old [illegible] wagon there," said a man from across the room, "fetched a hundred and fifty dollars."

"Gosh!" said the room.

"I suppose," said the country feller to me, "you wouldn't be much interested in farm sales?"

[illegible] said it I was carried back [illegible] in the April sunshine in the [illegible] and snow of a barnyard, a farm auction sale [illegible] the purchasers [illegible] the farmer of the farm was treating them to whisky and laughing it off as best he could. He was [illegible] and was going to move, they said, to [illegible] Manitoba.

Inside the farm house the woman [illegible] of the farm was cutting sandwiches for the purchasers [illegible]

[illegible]

and reflect upon the tragedy of our economic life that knows no [illegible] but death.

Item One: Two-year-old grey mare.

Do you get that? That's Fanny [illegible] had her for years and years on the farm. [illegible] must have had her for [illegible] years. There's a boy now [illegible] drive her. They loved her. That's why they [illegible] at two years. It's not a lie. She was still two years to them.

[illegible]

Or look at the last item: Household furniture, books.

Do you realize that these are the books that grandfather's father brought out from the Old Country [illegible] years ago; look, Walter Scott's Lady of the Lake, [illegible] Macaulay's England, nothing very [illegible] of course.

[illegible]

And just as they were saying that [illegible] old Tom himself.

When I saw [illegible] appeared [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] to get a shave [illegible] massage [illegible]

"You're next," said Jeff [illegible]

[illegible] answered Tom [illegible] and then Jeff went at him with the brushes [illegible]

"You've sold your place, Mr. Crittenden?" said a customer.

"No, [illegible] I didn't sell the old [illegible] sold off the implements and the stock."

"Couldn't work it, eh?"

"Not now, with just the missus and me and the boys gone and Sally."

"Where are the boys now, Mr. Crittenden?"

"Both overseas. Jim's in Iceland with General Montgomery and Dick's right there in London with General MacArthur. Oh, I follow [illegible]," added old Tom.

"Too bad to lose all your implements," said a sympathizer.

"Oh, I ain't lost them. They don't take 'em away. They're right there to work the place with."

"But you lose the use of them?"

"No, siree, I don't lose the use of them. I can use them as much as I like any time."

"So you've just lost the livestock," put in another customer.

"[illegible] The folks don't want to take them away and so the missus and I still have them on condition we milk the cows and use the milk and eggs."

There was a man in the shop waiting for a shave, a traveler (you know what that is) up from the city.

"Say, mister," he said, "I don't quite understand this. You've sold out and [illegible] fifty [illegible] hundred [illegible] had. How do you explain that?"

"I don't try to," chuckled the old man. "I leave that for Mr. Ilsley — all I know is that I got fifteen hundred in this Victory Loan; that's five hundred [illegible] for the boys and five hundred for Sally."

As the dialogue had progressed Jeff had gradually transformed old Mr. Crittenden, shampooed, massaged, shaved, creamed, powdered and at the end splashed with [illegible] like the Twenty-Fourth of May [illegible] was disengaged [illegible] for the bees to settle on him.

I don't have to explain [illegible] I leave that to [illegible]

[illegible]

"You're right," I said, "as to the [illegible] of the economics of [illegible] of the poverty of peace and [illegible] of war. It's an economic paradox."

I saw Jeff look at me apprehensively at the word economics. He [illegible]

[illegible] war service. Look at all the great generals [illegible] these pictures of MacNaughton.

So as I say he looked apprehensive when I began to speak.

"What Mr. Ilsley [illegible] to do," I continued, "is to make the most of every productive [illegible] this farm of Mr. Crittenden's, and to keep the [illegible] away from everything not absolutely essential."

Jeff looked across again.

"You're next," he said.

[illegible]

After a sudden [illegible] above one of the [illegible]

[illegible]

"But I," he said [illegible] "I'm frightfully sorry." [illegible] shot at mine.

"Somewhere in England" Are Canada's Smiling Airwomen

R.C.A.F. Photo.

The Largest Contingent of Royal Canadian Air Force Women's Division to Arrive in Britain. These Smiling Girls From the Dominion Line Up in a London Railway Station. From London These Youthful Canadians Went to the Various Stations of the Canadian Bomber Group Which Is Making a Large Contribution to the Steady Aerial Pounding of the Axis.

Back the Attack with Victory Bonds

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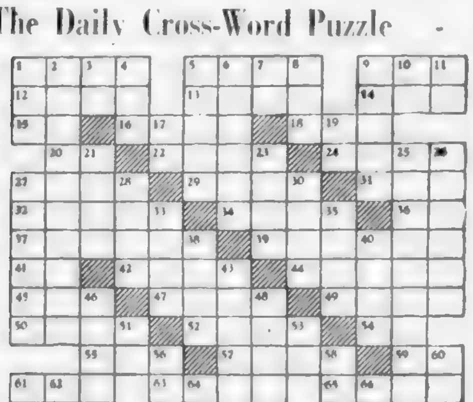
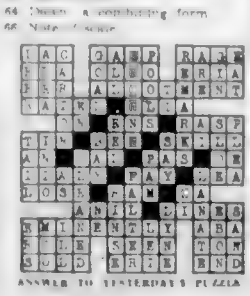


ACROSS

From a distance
A natural cavity in earth's surface
9 To weep
[illegible]
15 Heating [illegible]
[illegible]
29 Cicatrix
31 Expletive of [illegible]
Friendship
[illegible]
36 The Ambary
37 A favorite
39 The body of Jewish civil law
41 Indian mulberry
42 Regretted
44 A seaport in England
45 Animal's lair
47 To elevate
49 Period of time
50 A Hebrew instrument like a lyre
52 Food regimen
54 Italian [illegible]
55 Body of water
57 Stated
59 That thing
61 Anger
63 To pare
65 A bitter herb
67 To spread for drying
68 To throw
69 Horse's neck hair

DOWN

1. Mindanao Indian
2 An exact copy of anything
3 Argent
4 Fabulous bird
5 Tends
6 [illegible] South America
[illegible]
8 Before
[illegible]
25 A [illegible]
26 Gradations of color
27 [illegible] in Spanish America
28 To agitate
30 To harvest
[illegible]
38 Require
40 [illegible]
43 Raised platform
[illegible]
61 That thing
62 Note of scale
64 [illegible] a combining form
66 Note of scale



ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

"When will the war be over, Daddy?"

"THIS war will be over, darling, when children all over the world are free to play as you can without being bombed and machine-gunned by air raiders.

"This war will be over when bad men are no longer able to drag mothers and fathers from their children and put them in prison camps or to work as slaves in a strange country.

"This war will be over when we have made certain that enemy armies cannot steal food, and leave boys and girls -- big and little -- to starve to death.

"This war will be over when wicked men can no longer torture and murder peace-loving people just to satisfy their craze to run the world."

Hasten the day when with thankful hearts and profound relief we can say to our children "The world is free again."

Buy Victory Bonds to Your Utmost Limit!

THE LONDON LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

It's Tops with the War Worker Girls

As a "pick-me-up" when they are tired, nervous and jittery.

[illegible] ... time of war. Many of you have left wider jobs or the ease and comforts of home life to take on work which is both interesting and [illegible] ...

[illegible]

worried or irritable, do as so many other [illegible] ... Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Be sure to ask for the new economy size bottle of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and do not miss a single after-meal treatment until you are feeling real fit again.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food FOR NEW PEP AND ENERGY

Make a Monkey out of

HITLER

Let's show him how a free people run a war when they get fighting mad...

BUY VICTORY BONDS

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Beurling's Pals on Malta Maintain Canadian Records

Two Squadrons Still Bask in Glory of His Name—Other Aerial Aces in the Making

By FLT. LIEUT. KEN MacGILLIVRAY
Written for The Canadian Press

MALTA, May 8 (CP)—The reputation of the Canadian fighter-pilot in Malta, which soared F.O. George Beurling, of Verdun, Que., was here, is being maintained capably if less spectacularly, on this historic bit of rock by as [illegible] ... their chests and "Canada" on their shoulders.

Two squadrons to which the Verdun ace belonged while he was making his fame here still bask in the glory of his name and to both the R.C.A.F. is well and creditably represented. [illegible] ...

[illegible]

KNOWS ISLAND LIKE A BOOK

[illegible] ... that he knows the island like a book. [illegible] ... and destroyed a floating seaplane of the Sicilian Coast.

From a thirty mile-an-hour taxi-cab in Dauphin, Man., to a 300-[illegible] ... over Malta is the change that Flt. Sgt. John Charles Hughes has experienced since joining the R.C.A.F. [illegible] ... the destruction of a Focke-Wulf 190 before he went down. In Malta he [illegible] ... His hours have now reached [illegible].

Also from the West is another Canadian who took part in the recent [illegible] ... Albert Harris of Davidson [illegible] ... has been in a number of scraps.

These are only a few of the fighter lads from Canada who [illegible] ... of Malta. In [illegible] ... "the stick" and the [illegible] ... their courage in combat and their cheerful acceptance of the hardships of service life here [illegible] ... of the hundreds of other Canadians who have passed [illegible] ...

SACRIFICE

An [illegible] ... sends the following [illegible]

[illegible]

And gazed at that steak divine

[illegible]

To Aid Appeal

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP).—Appeal of [illegible] ... now serving a six months sentence for obstructing a police officer who ordered him to stop [illegible] ... sentence quashed. The case originally was scheduled for hearing in County Court Monday night but counsel decided to take it to a higher court.

Brightness [illegible] business. That's what Lord Woolton, Food Minister has found and he is urging that [illegible] drab British restaurants. (Government owned) be made more attractive.

U-Boat Men Now Prisoners

Some of the thirty-three captured crew members of a sunken Nazi U-boat fall-to for their first chicken dinner in months at Charleston, S.C., Navy Yard. They were brought ashore after capture when their submarine was sunk by the United States Coast Guard cutter Icarus in the Atlantic off the Carolina Coast.

More Halibut Being Landed

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., May 8 (CP).—Halibut landings at port of Prince Rupert for the 1943 season are running about 50 per cent heavier than last year and landings up to and including May 7 reached a total of 1,774,400 pounds compared with 1,273,600 pounds last year at the same time.

The American total for this year was [illegible] ... adian aggregate was 8[illegible],900 pounds as against 500,500 pounds.

During the week of May 1-7 landings amounted to 669,000 pounds consisting of 427,500 pounds American and 241,500 pounds Canadian fish. Prices during the week continued at a high level.

Top price of the week for American [illegible] ... 10,000 pounds. For Canadian fish the top bid of the week was [illegible] cents and 17 cents which the [illegible] was paid for 6,000 pounds and the [illegible] cents and 15 cents which the Cape Race received for [illegible] pounds.

Early May sees the trolling fleet out of Prince Rupert commencing to move out to the grounds in fairly substantial numbers with some good spots of Spring fishing. Canning on the Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-operative as well as the well known packer, John Clausen, are already out, the latter at Squadarre, Dundas and Portland Canal. Quite a number of the gas boat trollers are are already at work. Prices are higher than last year with 18 cents and 20 cents being paid on the grounds for Red Springs.

Motorists Killed

HIGH RIVER, Alta., May 8 (CP).—[illegible] ... both of [illegible] ... killed and three other [illegible] ... and plunged into [illegible] ...

During a night raid [illegible] ... Midlands [illegible] ... bomb [illegible] ... a back street [illegible] ...

[illegible] ... did not catch fire. Being interested [illegible] ... own pile.

Dominion Government To Refund Fees for Radio Training

SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCE OF $60 PER MONTH ALSO ALLOWED

SPROTT-SHAW SCHOOL OF VICTORIA TO ASSIST IN GOVERNMENT PLAN

[illegible]

[illegible] ... allowance of $60 per month [illegible] ... eight months during [illegible] ... time of training at Sprott-Shaw. After serving six months their fees for the training period will be completely refunded if they enter the Merchant Navy and be[illegible] ... if they enter the Department of Transport Radio Service. After one year of service [illegible] ... of the Mer[illegible] ... may then [illegible] ... examination to obtain [illegible] ... Certificate. The beginning salary is $120 per month [illegible] ... living bonus and increases are granted regularly as [illegible]

[illegible] ... SHEEN [illegible] ... Kings Road [illegible] SHEEN

According to Culbertson

[illegible]

West dealer.
North-South vulnerable.
Rubber bridge.

NORTH
♠ 8 7
♥ [illegible]
♦ [illegible]
♣ A Q J 8 4 [illegible]

WEST
♠ Q [illegible]
♥ K Q 9 8 [illegible]
♦ Q 8 4
♣ 10

EAST
♠ [illegible]
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The only explanation I can [illegible] ... of for East's [illegible] ... that he thought North's repeated [illegible] ... remunerative to them.

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Beurling's Pals on Malta Maintain Canadian Records

Two Squadrons Still Bask in Glory of His Name—Other Aerial Aces in the Making

By FLY LIEUT. KEN MACDONALD
Writer for The Canadian Press

MALTA, May 8 (CP).—The reputation of the Canadian fighter-pilot in Malta, which soared F/O. George Beurling, of Verdun, Que., was here, is being maintained capably, if less spectacularly, on this historic bit of rock by as competent and typical bunch of lads as ever wore wings on their chests and Canada on their shoulders.

[illegible] Act. Flying Officer Blue, he was [illegible] still bask in the glory of his name and in both the R.A.F. is well and creditably represented. One, until recently commanded by Squdn. Ldr. Malcolm [illegible] of Regina, S.S. [illegible] American [illegible] Canadian [illegible] R.A.F. veteran of both [illegible] Malta in F/O. Cecil [illegible] former [illegible] Saskatoon [illegible] home [illegible]

[illegible] freedom of flite at Tonge and [illegible] stand [illegible] carried him [illegible] of operations [illegible]

KNOWS ISLAND LIKE A BOOK

[illegible] Sicily [illegible] so much [illegible] like a [illegible] recent [illegible] at Sliema and destroyed a floating seaplane off the Sicilian Coast.

From a thirty-mile-an-hour taxi-cab in Dauphin, Man., to a 300-and-nine-mile-an-hour Spitfire over Malta is the change that Flt. Sgt. John Charles Hughes has experienced since joining the R.C.A.F. Early in his [illegible] career in Britain he [illegible] into the Channel [illegible] famous [illegible] for his share in the destruction of a Focke Wulf 190 before he went down. In Malta he has [illegible] up "three" in two Junkers 88s and one a recent fighter-[illegible] bringing back with him [illegible] tailplane. His bonus have now reached 140.

Also from the West is another Canadian who took part in the recent Corsair attack. Sgt. Pilot Jerome Albert Hardy of Davidson, [illegible] a former [illegible] hunter with [illegible] hours of [illegible] behind him [illegible] and in Russia. Another Hardy has [illegible] twenty-two escape and has been in a number of scrapes.

There are only a few of the fighter lads from Canada who [illegible] the [illegible] rooms of Malta. In their [illegible] the stick and the [illegible] their courage in combat and their cheerful acceptance of the hardships of service life here [illegible] are typical of the hundreds of other Canadians who have passed [illegible]

SACRIFICE

As [illegible] words the following [illegible]

[illegible]

To Aid Appeal

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP).—Appeal of John Sutton, and now serving a six months' sentence for obstructing a police officer, who ordered him to stop playing the [illegible] was scheduled for hearing in County Court Monday night, but counsel decided to take it to a higher court.

Brightness being business. That's what Lord Woolton, Food Minister, has found and he is urging that menu owners be made more attractive drab British restaurants. (Ministry of Information photo.)

U-Boat Men Now Prisoners

Some of the thirty-three captured crew members of a sunken Nazi U boat fall to for their first chicken dinner in months at Charleston, S.C., Navy Yard. They were brought ashore after capture when their submarine was sunk by the United States Coast Guard cutter Icarus in the Atlantic off the Carolina Coast.

More Halibut Being Landed

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., May 8 (CP).—Halibut landings at port of Prince Rupert for the 1943 season are running about 50 per cent heavier than last year and landings up to and including May 7 reached a total of 1,774,400 pounds compared with 1,273,800 pounds last year at the same time.

The American take for this year was 840,500 pounds as compared with 775,000 pounds and the Canadian [illegible] as against 50,000 pounds.

During the week of May 1-7 landings amounted to 869,000 pounds consisting of 425,500 pounds American and 243,500 pounds Canadian fish. Prices during the week continued at a high level.

Top price of the week for American [illegible] was 22.0 cents and 17 cents while on Canadian [illegible] the top price was 17.0 cents and 15 cents paid for Canadian [illegible] pounds. For Canadian [illegible] the top bid of the week was 22.0 cents and 17 cents which the [illegible] was paid for 6,000 pounds and the low 18 cents and 15 cents which the [illegible] Race received for 8,000 pounds.

Early May sees the fishing fleet out of Prince Rupert commencing to move out to the grounds in fairly substantial numbers with some good spots of Spring fishing. Camps on the Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-operative as well as the well-known packer John Clausen, are already out, the latter at Squadrone, Dundas and Portland Canal. Quite a number of the gas boat owners are already at work. Prices are higher than last year with 18 cents and 20 cents being paid on the grounds for Red Springs.

Motorists Killed

HIGH RIVER, Alta., May 8 (CP).—Alex. Mooney and [illegible] both of High River, [illegible] were killed when their car [illegible] Bow River [illegible] and plunged into a [illegible]

During a night [illegible] Midland [illegible] bound for [illegible] a truck stalled [illegible]

[illegible]

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According to Culbertson

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Rubber bridge

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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

Canadian Spitfire Pilot in Dinghy in Channel Eight Days

Edmonton Man Lived on Malted Milk Tablets And Emergency Tablets After Aerial Battle

AN R.A.F. HOSPITAL, SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, May 8 (CP) — Young Sergeant Pilot Gerald Emes, of Edmonton, his face pale and drawn, leaned toward the side of his cot and smiled weakly.

[illegible]

FELL OUT OF DINGHY IN NIGHT

[illegible] I fell out of the dinghy but it did not get away from me though I can't swim a stroke.

His greatest trial was the lack of drinking water. "What a temptation it was to drink that nice clear, crystal water of the Channel," he said.

The Nazis Emes tangled with [illegible]. He saw one Jerry hit the deck and believe he damaged another. There were two Nazi after him when he was forced to bail out.

Emes whose wife lives at Edmonton was one of four Spitfire pilots who set out from a southern England airport for an operational flight to France. The four are members of the R.A.F.'s famous City of [illegible] Squadron.

When the British airmen reached the French coast they were intercepted by a formation of Focke-Wulfs and in the dogfight that followed Emes was separated from his companions, all of whom reached home safely.

THOUGHT HE COULD EVADE GERMANS

"I got a bullet in my left leg below the knee [illegible] I felt sure that [illegible] I could evade the F.W.'s and get home."

[illegible]

I never occurred to me that I [illegible]

Canuck and Yank Win Awards

A Canadian and an American, who brought home a badly damaged bomber after a raid on Osnabruk and received the Distinguished Flying Medal. They are Pilot Officer E. F. Warren, left, of the R.C.A.F., from Regina, Alta., and Lieut. W. D. MacGrane, of the U.S.A.F., whose home is in Akron, Ohio.

Many New Types Of Planes Used

Axis Hard-Pressed As Allies Stronger

LONDON, May 8 (CP) — The growing [illegible] the extremes to which the Axis is being driven to stave off total [illegible] in the air are [illegible] many new types of aircraft [illegible] have appeared on both sides. The authoritative [illegible] magazine, "The Aeroplane," [illegible] must be that the [illegible] from the air.

Just off the secret [illegible] the Hawker Typhoon, a [illegible] fighter armed with [illegible] millimetre cannon [illegible] American Mustang [illegible] armed [illegible] with the Rolls Royce Merlin motor, should be exceedingly formidable.

In the specialized attack category, the [illegible] two Vickers forty [illegible] cannon, is in a class by itself. The Fairey Barracuda torpedo-bomber is reported to be in service but details haven't been disclosed. The Bristol Beaufighter [illegible] the world's best land [illegible] bomber.

USE FIGHTERS AS NIGHT BOMBERS

The Nazis have been forced to use their fast Focke-Wulf 190 fighter as a night bomber [illegible] which [illegible] an Airacobra has ever been put.

The Messerschmitt 323 [illegible] largest air transport [illegible]

[illegible]

The Aeroplane concludes:

[illegible] the past [illegible] months has driven the Luftwaffe to a [illegible] from which there can be no escape except surrender or extinction."

Rainbow Sea Cadets

Orders for the week ending May 15, 1943, by Lieut.-Comdr. P. W. Tribe commanding:

[illegible] Tuesday, May 11, 1943 [illegible] H.M.C. Naden at 19.15 hours. Friday, May 14 [illegible]

Duties: R.P.O. B. Page.

[illegible]

[illegible] H. A. Coutts, 204, R. A. Donaghy, 15

LIEUT. J. McALLISTER

Engineer Killed In Train Wreck

SAN FRANCISCO, May 8 (AP) — The engineer was killed and [illegible] a passenger train [illegible] the Southern Pacific [illegible].

The engineer who lost his life was [illegible] the back of the overturned locomotive.

The locomotive left the rails and [illegible] an embankment and overturned. Two baggage cars followed and overturned as did a mail car. Two coaches and a [illegible] car remained upright after the derailment. Two Pullman sleepers at the rear of the train did not leave the rails.

R.C.A.F. Casualties

OTTAWA, May 8 (CP) — The Royal Canadian Air Force [illegible] at air force spokesman said the list was complete.

[illegible]

OVERSEAS

[illegible] Prince Edward Anderson, Vancouver [illegible]

Missing on active service after air operations: Flt. Sgt. [illegible] Kennaird, Edmonton.

Missing as a result of air operations: Flt. Lt. Edward [illegible] Toronto; P/O [illegible] San Diego, Cal.; P/O Hugh [illegible] Hetherington, Montreal; P/O Richard Scott M[illegible], Ottawa; P/O Lloyd Latimer, Vancouver; P/O Eric W[illegible], Saskatoon; P/O Donald [illegible] Clarke, Harenmore, Sask.; P/O [illegible] Beverley, Clarke, Toronto; P/O Archibald Charles [illegible]; P/O Stanley William [illegible]; P/O [illegible] Alexander Harding, Toronto; P/O Henry Harold Heaney, London, Ont.; P/O Donald Victor [illegible], Dauphin, Man.; P/O Robert Stewart Jardine, Nelson, B.C.; P/O Merle Johnson, Hanna, Alta.; P/O Frederick Bennett Kew, Toronto; P/O Terence William Kidd, Toronto; P/O Douglas Peter Lamont, Minto, Man.; P/O Alan Stuart MacDonald, Edmonton; P/O Ernest Mills MacDonald, St. Catharines, Ont.; P/O John [illegible]

[illegible]

CANADIAN IN THE R.A.F.

[illegible]

B.C. Flyer Killed

[illegible]

Protest New Order

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP) — [illegible] while employees subject to transfer to other work [illegible] that in addition to protests [illegible]

MAIL AND SHIPS

COASTING CRAFT

[illegible]

Halibut Fleets Land Big Catches

SEATTLE, May 8 (AP) — The United States and Canadian halibut fleets landed 4,016,656 pounds of fish [illegible] over the same period last year.

[illegible]

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"Dina Cashman"

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

CHAPTER XXIV

"There's one thing about my wife," Andrew Havens told Dina, "she's completely unpredictable. She says herself she's like a little girl who's discovered happiness for the first time in her life. She hates to hurt anyone and she hates anyone to be cross at her."

[illegible] half-smile and in obvious satisfaction while a salad was passed and presently said in a confidential undertone:

"When we met each other," he continued as Dina listened, absorbed, "I'd just arrived here in California; I didn't know any of these people, and I didn't know that Aline was engaged to Rogers. She didn't tell me! D'you see the consideration there, Miss Cashman? She didn't want to hurt Rogers Holland, humiliate him. It wasn't until after we were married that she told me that she had had to break it off with him, and then—"

He paused impressively, took a swallow of wine.

"Then she said," he resumed, "that the very first dinner engagement we made must be here; she wanted Mr. Holland to know me and me to know him; there mustn't be any hard feelings or silences or anything unexplained. That, I think," Andrew finished with satisfaction, "gives you a pretty good idea of what she's really like. It's—" he spoke reverently, "it's angelic!" he said.

Dina drank nothing. She had been feeling physically upset all day, and dared eat only a little chicken and some salad accompanied by the dry crisp crackers and toasted breads which all these eating and drinking folk seemed to feel were helpful to reducing. It was therefore in a state of chill and weakness favorable for the wildest apprehension that she found herself accompanying the other women upstairs.

An enormous bedroom filled with comfortable chairs brightened by a wild fire had been placed at their [illegible].

Dina sat in a big chair, sinking back into the protection of its depths, watching the other women, listening to them, managing never quite to catch anyone's eye. But Aline, powdering her nose, touching the shining, flawless helmet of her black hair with a ringed hand, had no notion of letting her escape.

"How long have you known Rogers, Miss Cashman?"

"Not very long," Dina answered hesitantly.

"Your people's friend?"

She smiled demurely.

"I hope so."

Aline rose, strolled across the room, stood at the hearth looking down at Dina.

"Tell me something about yourself," she said winningly. "You see, I happen to know Rogers Holland extremely well. In fact, I was engaged to him."

"He told me," Dina said.

"So it seemed odd to me to find you here tonight," [illegible] "when he never mentioned you to me."

Well, Aline [illegible], a stout hand[illegible] young woman who had been complaining bitterly of her slippers and now had them off and was [illegible] attentively. "I can imagine myself being engaged to a man, and even breaking the engagement, without expecting to know absolutely everything he knew."

"Certainly," Aline agreed sharply, resenting the reflection upon her common sense. "But I'm surprised, that's all. What did he tell you about me?" she demanded with an amused glance about the circle.

"That you were engaged and that you married someone else," Dina answered simply.

"I think you have the rottenest manners, Aline, I've ever seen in my entire life," the stout woman said dreamily, trying on a slipper and wincing.

"Rogers told me you asked him to give this party," another woman said reproachfully. "I think it was wonderful of Rogers to do it after the way you treated him."

"How did I treat him, Lucy?" Aline asked, not opening her eyes.

"Well," began Lucy uncertainly. Dina could tell from her tone that she was a good-natured soul who disliked fomenting trouble. "I mean, you did throw him down pretty hard," she said; "the wedding date all set and everything. And we all know, no matter who you happen to be married to, that Rogers just blindly adores you."

"Can't help that," Aline opened her eyes, looked into space with the hint of a self-conscious smile on her lips. "I met Andy," she said eloquently.

"I met Andy!" Dina heard old Mrs. Prince mutter under her breath.

"D'you like him?" Aline was now demanding. "Now, tell me, everybody, don't you think he's really—no, but I mean, isn't he really divine?"

"Magnificent," someone said obligingly.

(To Be Continued)

JAPAN'S WAR NOTICE

LONDON—Japan gave notice that she was going to war when she gave formal notice to the League of Nations ten years ago, said Dr. George K. C. Yeh, London director of the Chinese Ministry of Information.

"How do you see [illegible]?" asked the young [illegible]. "Wait one [illegible] or two."

The older man [illegible]. "Well," he said at last, "if you are going [illegible] the [illegible] as well go the limit!"

NATIONAL SELECTIVE SERVICE

First Compulsory Employment Transfer Order

NOTICE TO CERTAIN EMPLOYERS AND EMPLOYEES

Notice is hereby given that men employed in certain specified lines of civilian employment, who are in age and marital classes already designated under National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations, must report for interview not later than May 19th, 1943, to an Employment and Selective Service Office.

A. Objectives

The Order makes available for essential employments the services of men in age and marital classes designated as callable for Military Training under National Selective Service Mobilization Regulations, who are presently employed in specified non-essential employments.

B. EMPLOYMENTS COVERED BY THIS ORDER:

Men, of the specified categories, are covered if now employed in any of the following industries:

(1) taverns; liquor, wine and beer stores; (2) retail sale of candy, confectionery, tobacco, books, stationery, news; (3) barber shops and beauty parlours; (4) retail and wholesale florists; (5) service stations (gasoline-filling stations); (6) retail sale of motor vehicles or accessories; (7) retail sale of sporting goods or musical instruments.

Also, men are covered if now employed in any of the following occupations, whether in above industries or not:

(1) waiter, taxi driver, elevator operator, hotel bell boy, domestic servant; (2) any occupation in or directly associated with entertainment, including but not restricted to theatres, film agencies, motion picture companies, clubs, bowling alleys, pool rooms; (3) any occupation in or directly associated with dyeing, cleaning, and pressing (not including laundry work); baths; guide service; shoe shining.

C. AGE AND MARITAL CLASSES OF MEN COVERED BY THIS ORDER:

(a) Every man born in any year from 1917 to 1924 (inclusive) who has reached age 19.

(b) Every man born from 1902 to 1916 (inclusive) who, at July 15th, 1940, was: (i) unmarried; or (ii) divorced or judicially separated; or (iii) a widower without child or children.

(c) Every man born from 1902 to 1916 (inclusive) who has, since July 15, 1940, become a widower without child or children now living.

(d) Every man born from 1902 to 1916 (inclusive) who, since July 15, 1940, has been divorced or judicially separated.

D. Procedure to be Followed:

All men as defined above must report to an Employment and Selective Service Office not later than May 19th, 1943. Men resident outside a city or town having an Employment and Selective Service Office, who are too far removed to call personally, may write to the nearest office in the first instance, and await further directions.

E. OBLIGATIONS OF EMPLOYEES:

When directed to accept employment, subsequent to the interview referred to, men described in Paragraphs B and C above are required by the Regulations to follow the direction given.

F. OBLIGATIONS OF EMPLOYERS:

It will be illegal for an employer to retain in his employ after May 19th, 1943, any men referred to in Paragraph C above, at any of the employments set forth in Paragraph B above, unless a special permit has been obtained from a National Selective Service Officer, permitting such action.

G. Transportation.

Special provisions will be made for the transportation of men moved to work at a new place of residence.

H. Appeals:

If directed to transfer to employment subsequent to interview, a man may, if he objects, enter appeal with a Court of Referees, within 7 days of receiving such direction.

I. Penalties in Case of Employers

Penalties are provided for any employer who retains in, or takes into his employ after May 19th, 1943, any man covered by the Order, except under special permit.

J. Penalties in Case of Employees:

Penalties are provided for failure on the part of any employed man affected to register under the Order or to follow a subsequent direction to employment, and in addition to other penalties, refusal to comply renders a man liable to compulsory labour service in an Alternative Service Work Camp.

K. Special Request to Employers:

Each employer with three or more men covered by this Order in his employ is requested to co-operate by getting in touch with the Employment and Selective Service Office to arrange a time for the interviews of his employees.

L. Authority:

This Order is issued under authority conferred on the Minister of Labour by National Selective Service Civilian Regulations (P.C. 246 of January 19th, 1943, and amending Orders in Council).

Men referred to above must present documents at the employment office, indicating compliance with Mobilization Regulations

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR

HUMPHREY MITCHELL, *Minister of Labour* — A. MACNAMARA, *Director, National Selective Service*

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Orders Cut in U.S. Beef Price

WASHINGTON, May 8.—(AP)—Price Administrator Prentiss Brown announced here he is ordering a 10 per cent reduction effective June 1 in retail prices of beef, veal, pork, lamb, mutton, coffee and butter in the United States.

The cut, Brown said, will be in comparison with present prices and meant downward revision of meat prices becoming effective May 17.

Brown's announcement constituted the first specific action in line with his promise about a week ago to roll back the cost of living.

Brown said that he was recommending to the Secretary of Commerce Jesse Jones that subsidy payments be made to processors of the [illegible] to prevent the reduced prices from having an adverse effect on production.

Reports were current that [illegible] earmarked appropriations [illegible] 000,000 of Reconstruction Finance Corporation funds for the [illegible] according to Brown's statement.

How It Started—

By JEAN NEWTON

PUNCH—"WHERE EAST MEETS WEST"

In India they have many [illegible] making themselves [illegible] but rarely when they are [illegible].

[illegible] sat [illegible] the face of the Indian, he made enthusiastically and from then on all is smooth drinking.

The reason is that our word "punch" is pronounced the same as the Eastern word for this beverage. Not only that, it derives from the Hindustani, meaning "five."

"Five" is in this picture because the "punch" which made its way from this part of the world into Europe during the seventeenth century was composed of five ingredients: spice or cordial, sugar, wine or spirits and hot water or milk.

The recipe varied with time, place and pocketbook of the mixer, but was always flavorful.

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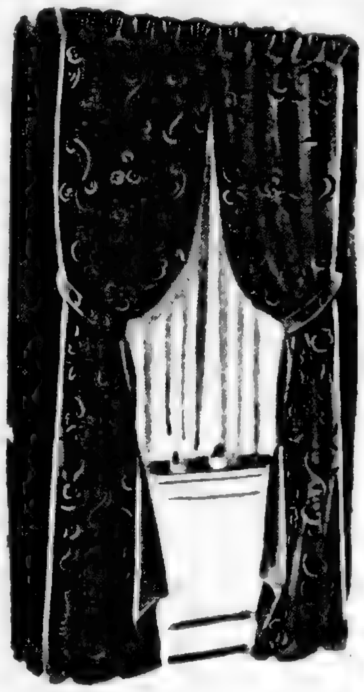

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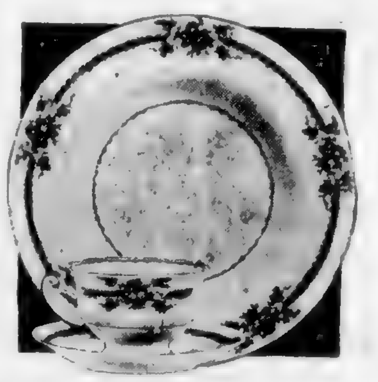

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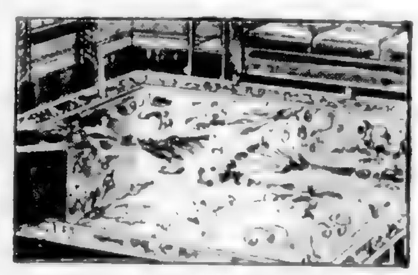

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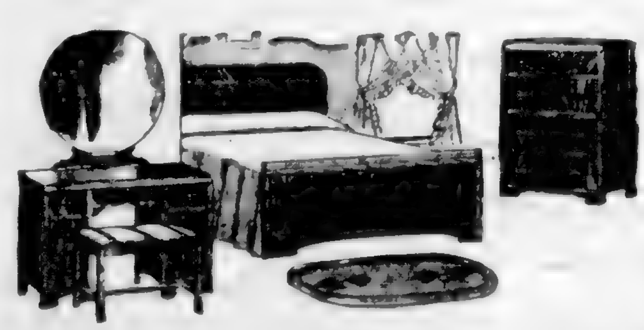

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Glancing Over Sport—

By JOE DELAHUNTY

IT'S MOTHER'S DAY TODAY

Ninety out of 100 sports fans would think that I would start this column today talking about the following: Victoria Flyers' victory in the Canadian cage final; the defeat of the R.A.F. in the Province Cup soccer match by Vancouver Pro-Recs; Count Fleet's victory in a gallop in the Preakness, or the opening of the local baseball season, but, not in my books this day. All we have to do this morning and through the rest of the day is to remember one pal and that pal, ladies and gentlemen, is your mother. Don't forget your mother; she is the best pal you and me have ever had in our lives.

Today is Mother's Day, so let's hope that we all realise this particular day is upon us, and we all take time out to pay respects and pass congratulations along to one person we all adore on this day—Our Mothers.

ODDS AND ENDS

[illegible] day afternoon and parked along the [illegible] base benchers along with my old friend Bill Cousins, an ardent ball fan if there ever was one, to take in the opening game of the flag chase.

The weatherman didn't exactly play ball with the boys and therefore the turnout was in the neighborhood of 500. [illegible] The opening [illegible] with the Army Band rendering the music as they paraded around the field, the teams lining up down the base lines in V formation, and then Major-General Potts strutted out to the mound to toss the first pitch with Alderman Dave McTavish on the receiving end and Flying Officer Ron Haines at bat, who played [illegible] for the sons of Canada long before Hitler and his gangsters set out with the foolish idea that they could conquer the world. Twice the major-general tried to toss that drop [illegible] and both times it failed to cross the platter [illegible]. Although I wasn't talking to Haines during the afternoon, it was great to see him enjoying himself at the ball park. It must have brought back memories of the days he southpawed the Sons to victories when on the [illegible] and the many times he played in the outfield for the league champions of that time. So to Flying Officer Ron Haines this sports department says: Welcome home. [illegible] Doug Peden looked smart at first base for the Army and it could be plainly seen by his movements that he has had good schooling in the diamond pastime. [illegible] Ray Casey, Army [illegible] started off the season by [illegible] two homers [illegible] trips to the plate.

FROM HERE AND THERE

[illegible]

Had a letter from Harry Scott [illegible]

[illegible]

Thanks Herb for the nice letter and your interesting notes on our Army hockey team. Ran into Chuck Rayner, former goal-tender for [illegible] New York and Brooklyn Americans and more recently Navy net custodian, and he's still talking about that trip the boys had down south. "It was swell, the hospitality was grand and can those Beatties have ever play hockey, especially Doug and Max," he stated as he rushed away to rejoin some of his shipmates.

BEARS WIN TRACK MEET

LOS ANGELES, May 8 (AP)—California's Golden Bears had no trouble at all today ending the [illegible] field that Southern California has had over them. [illegible] A. Ragan's boys rolled up 89⅓ points to 40⅔ for the Trojans.

In another dual meet between the Bears and the Bruins of U.C.L.A., run simultaneously, California scored 112 points and U.C.L.A. 19.

John Fulton, Stanford University sophomore running a special event, the 660-yard run, established a new American record: 1 minute 18.9 seconds. The former mark was set by Homer Baker of the Milrose A.C. at Travers Island, September 26, 1914. The old mark was 1 minute 20.4 seconds.

Gain Finals In Bowling

Hotel and Coach Trundlers Win

With Bill Norris setting the pace, George Hotel trundlers moved into the final round of the Senior City Tenpin League play-offs at the Arcade Alleys yesterday afternoon by defeating Poodle Dog Cafe in the semis, three games to two. Norris ushered the timber into the pits for a total of 905 but he was closely followed by the rest of his teammates.

In the Commercial Tenpin League semi-finals, Coach and Horses eliminated the Yankees in three straight games, two of them keenly fought and the other just a walkaway. They will meet Douglas Cafe for the [illegible] in the final [illegible] best of five games next week at the Arcade Alleys.

George Hotel takes the runways against the Arcades in the final this week for the Senior City League honors and this play-off should be interesting from the time the first ball heads for the pins. Red Lawson was only six pins behind Norris with a score of 899 [illegible] Welsh was [illegible] 862 and [illegible] Porter came through with a total of 850. Edgar Bodie was also right up with 844 opposite his name. For the losers Ron Wilson was top by a good margin with 904, while Bob Semple was next with 859.

Scores of the two matches follow:

SENIOR TENPIN LEAGUE
SEMI-FINAL PLAY-OFF

George Hotel—[illegible]

Poodle Dog Cafe—[illegible] R. Wilson, 904. Total, 4,308.

COMMERCIAL TENPIN LEAGUE
SEMI-FINAL PLAY-OFF

Yankees—[illegible]

Coach and Horses—[illegible] D. Barr, 487; C. Merriman, 113; handicap, 217. Total, 2,544.

Baseball Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
Brooklyn	10	3	769
St. Louis	7	4	636
Pittsburgh	[illegible]	5	583
Boston	[illegible]	4	556
Cincinnati	[illegible]	6	538
Philadelphia	4	6	400
Chicago	[illegible]	9	250
New York	3	9	250

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
New York	12	3	800
Cleveland	[illegible]	4	[illegible]
Detroit	7	6	538
Washington	8	7	533
St. Louis	5	6	455
Philadelphia	6	10	375
Chicago	4	9	[illegible]
Boston	4	[illegible]	[illegible]

COAST LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct
Los Angeles	12	3	[illegible]
San Diego	[illegible]	6	[illegible]
San Francisco	9	[illegible]	[illegible]
Portland	8	8	[illegible]
Oakland	8	10	444
Hollywood	7	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sacramento	6	[illegible]	[illegible]
Seattle	5	10	[illegible]

Robert A. Cross, 1804 Quadra Street, has been selected to judge the all-breed show to be held on Saturday, July 17, at Vancouver, Wash. This will be one of the largest shows held in the Northwest this year and is to be run in conjunction with the dog fanciers of Oregon show which is to be held on the following day at Portland.

Newly-Crowned Canadian Senior Basketball Champions

NORM BAKER

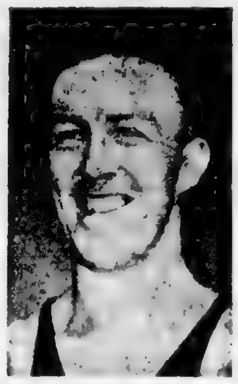
RALPH PAY

IRWIN STOUT

BOB PHELAN

IAN McKEACHIE

ART McKIM


RALPH BAKER

BOB CANNING (Trainer)

HERE are seven playing members of the Victoria Royal Canadian Air Force basketball squad and their trainer that won the Canadian men's senior crown last night at the V.A.C. gymnasium in Vancouver by turning back Windsor Patricks in three straight games. The Flyers captured the opener 58-48 and [illegible] Baker set a new [illegible] scoring record of thirty-seven points, then won the second tussle 63-50, by staging a great fourth quarter rally which netted them twenty-six points. Baker was [illegible] with [illegible] points [illegible] with eighteen. Missing from the above layout was Ollie Goodsmith, veteran of the team, who played with the Dominoes back in 1939 [illegible] Windsor and [illegible] Victoria [illegible] game by a 31-22 score to [illegible] the honors.

V.M.D. and Flyers Register Wins in Baseball Openers

Shipyard Club Beats Navy, 8-6—Flyers Defeat Soldiers, 14-9

HOW THEY STAND

	P	W	L	Pct
V.M.D.	1	1	0	1.000
R.C.A.F.	1	1	0	1.000
Eagles	0	0	0	.000
Navy	1	0	[illegible]	.000
Army	1	0	[illegible]	.000

Yesterday's scores
R.C.A.F. 14, Army 9.
V.M.D. 8, Navy 6.

This week's games
Monday—Eagles vs. Army.
Wednesday—R.C.A.F. vs. V.M.D.
Friday—Navy vs. Eagles.
Saturday—R.C.A.F. vs. Navy (afternoon).
Saturday—Army vs. V.M.D. (evening).

Victoria Machinery Depot and Royal Canadian Air Force baseball teams climbed aboard the winning wagon [illegible] when they came from behind to register victories in the opening games of the 1943 pennant chase.

V.M.D., defending champions, defeated the Navy Canadian Navy 8-6 in the nightcap attraction after six big runs in the sixth frame [illegible] to the [illegible] defeat to [illegible].

Royal Canadian Air Force hammered out a 14-9 verdict over the Army nine in the matinee attraction at the Caledonia Avenue ball [illegible]. A total of twenty-two base knocks, [illegible] of them for extra bases, were clouted during the long-drawn-out nine-inning fixture.

Colorful opening day ceremonies preceded the afternoon game. Members of the Army and R.C.A.F. teams, with the R.C.A.F. [illegible] and formed the V for Victory [illegible] of the United Nations [illegible] [illegible]

Official opening [illegible] was Major-General A. E. Potts [illegible]

[illegible] on leave was the first batter.

Commander R. P. Kingscote, R.C.N.R., and H. B. [illegible], Victoria Machinery Depot executive, officiated at the opening ceremonies for the evening ball game.

V.M.D. SCORES SIX RUNS IN SIXTH FRAME

Scoring six markers in the sixth inning when Harold Berringer, smart sailor hurler, lost his control after holding them to three base [illegible] Victoria Machinery Depot came from behind to defeat the [illegible] 8-6.

Navy, demonstrating more power at the plate, bunched three singles in the opening frame to take a two-run lead and put together [illegible] singles and a triple in the fifth for three additional markers. Then added a [illegible] in the sixth.

V.M.D. had difficulty getting to the offerings of Berringer and were only able to punch out three singles [illegible] However, in the sixth, with the shipyard workers trailing by four runs, the sailor hurling staff fessed up seven walks and before they again found their stride the defending champions had six runners across home plate. [illegible] drove across two of the [illegible].

Five hurlers paraded to the slab in the game [illegible] Berringer [illegible]

V.M.D. [illegible] Johnny Musgrave.

[illegible]

RAY CASEY HITS TWO HOMERS FOR ARMY

[illegible] Royal Canadian Air Force defeated the Army 14-9 was the home run hitting of Ray Casey, the [illegible] who lifted the ball out of the park in the [illegible] and eighth frames for successive home runs.

[illegible]

Twenty-two base hits [illegible] for extra bases were [illegible] during the matinee attraction [illegible] a few costly miscues helped add to the [illegible].

Star Casey portsider opened for the troops and stayed for six and [illegible] frames. [illegible]

[illegible]

Eagles [illegible]

Totals	41	9	12	27	9	3

Score by innings:

R.C.A.F.	003 020 522	14
Army	024 002 010	9

Summary

[illegible]

EVENING GAME

Box Score

[illegible]

Totals	33	8	4	27	10	0

Score by innings:

Navy	[illegible]	6
V.M.D.	000 006 [illegible]	8

Summary

[illegible] Time of game, 1 hour 50 minutes.

The British Government is considering steps to mobilize golfers for war work. Many of them already have war jobs, but Labor Minister Bevin says steps to prevent them wandering about from place to place may have to be taken.

AFTERNOON GAME

Box Score

[illegible]

Airmen Triumph Over Eastern Cage Champions

Baker Leading Scorer Again in Win Over Windsor in the Play-Offs

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP)—[illegible] the third game of the best-of-five series to win the title in straight games.

[illegible] at half time, 26-15 at the end of the third quarter.

The game was [illegible] 1,200 fans [illegible] Wednesday and Friday [illegible]

[illegible]

Norm Baker [illegible]

[illegible] Fred Thomas being the [illegible]

[illegible] Fred Thomas [illegible] Norm Baker made the score [illegible]

[illegible]

Windsor outscored the Boys in the final canto as the Flyers concentrated on keeping the ball moving to protect their lead.

[illegible] Baker, Bob Phelan and McKeachie were [illegible]

Windsor pressed but were unable to get their shots in the basket, leaving the Flyers in possession of the trophy won last year by Victoria Dominoes.

BUSHER JACKSON IN THE CROWD

Among the interested spectators was Busher Jackson, former [illegible]

[illegible]

BOX SCORE

[illegible]

Lacrosse Meeting

An important meeting of the Greater Victoria Lacrosse Association will be held Tuesday evening at the [illegible] Police Board Club, Langley Street, at 8 o'clock. All clubs are asked to have delegates present as this will be the final day for filing entries with Secretary Doug Fletcher.

SEATTLE, May 8 [illegible]

[illegible]

Franworth Wins Handicap Event At Bay Meadows

SAN MATEO, Cal., May 8 [illegible] Bay Meadows [illegible] Franworth, Canadian-[illegible] horse owned by Jack [illegible] Vancouver, British Columbia, [illegible] won the [illegible] Handicap over two miles in the time of 3:22 [illegible].

[illegible] Dixie of Boise, Idaho, in the saddle, Farragut ran second and Flying Hostess third.

The winner paid $4 [illegible] $2.80 and $2.20. Farragut returned $3.20 and $2.60, and Flying Hostess $2.60.

TOAST and TEA

By J. V. McAREE

[illegible]

GOODERHAM & WORTS
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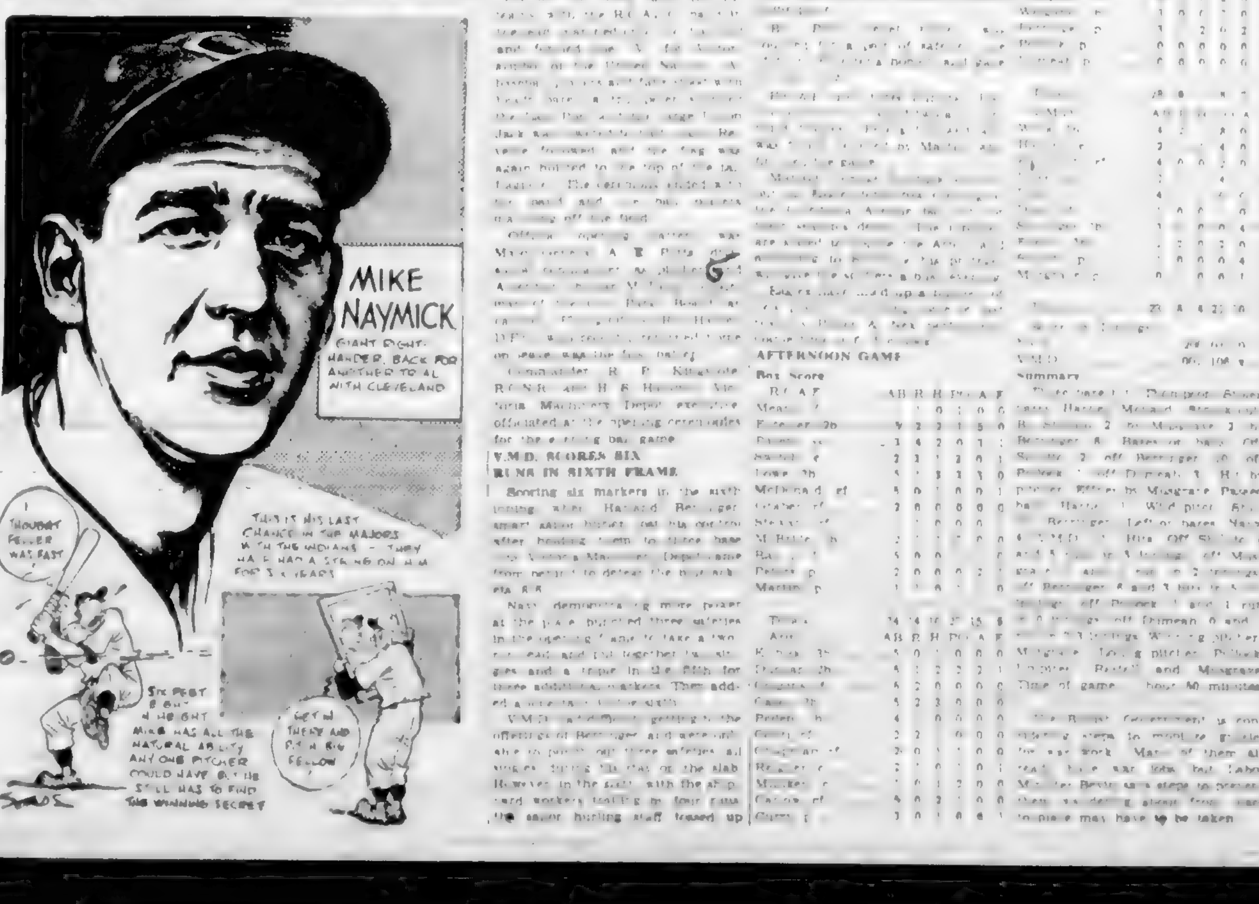
TORONTO, ONTARIO

SOFTBALL ARMY vs. R.C.A.F.
Royal Athletic Park, Tuesday, May 11
6.45 P.M. — Admission 15¢. Services in Uniform 10¢



Durocher Chased And Team Loses

Brooklyn Manager Ejected From Field —Two Big Innings Set Back Yankees

NATIONAL LEAGUE

BOSTON, May 8 — [illegible] 1943 baseball was used for the first time today but the batters failed to [illegible] the expected field day [illegible] the Boston Braves [illegible] the league-leading Brooklyn Dodgers, 3 to 2.

The Braves made ten hits, two of them [illegible] while the Dodgers were limited to six [illegible] of the extra base variety. [illegible] Paul Waner a seventh-inning double [illegible] first run of the game after [illegible] had [illegible] a [illegible] duel [illegible].

Manager Leo Durocher of the Dodgers was chased from the field for the first time this season by Umpire [illegible] in the eighth. The argument [illegible] in reporting [illegible] for Higbe in the eighth.

		R	H	E
Brooklyn	000 000 020	2	6	0
Boston	000 000 21x	3	10	1

Batteries: Higbe, Kimball (8) and Owen; Barrett, Tobin (8), Javery (8) and Kluttz.

REDS RALLY FOR VICTORY

CINCINNATI, May 8 — The Cincinnati Reds put on one of the old-time [illegible] today scoring a [illegible] five runs after [illegible] a ball game from the Chicago Cubs, 6 to 5.

Lonnie Frey opened the last half with an easy out, but Eddie Miller [illegible] Gee Walker singled [illegible] Bert Haas singled.

[illegible] Warneke and [illegible] Lipton [illegible] with a [illegible] Ray Mueller singled and Heinz Becker [illegible] to let Tipton in with the winning run.

		R	H	E
Chicago	[illegible]	5	12	3
Cincinnati	[illegible]	6	10	0

Batteries: Warneke, [illegible] (9) and Hernandez; Shoun, Heusser (9) and Mueller.

GIANTS WIN ON HOME RUNS

PHILADELPHIA, May 8 — [illegible] Maynard apparently found the new 1943 baseball [illegible] ordered [illegible] for he hit two home runs to [illegible] the New York Giants to a 7 to 5 victory over the Philadelphia Phillies.

		R	H	E
New York	[illegible]	7	9	0
Philadelphia	031 200 000	6	10	0

Batteries: [illegible] Adams (4), [illegible] (9) and Mancuso; [illegible] Podgajny (9), [illegible] (9) and Padden, Bremer (9).

AMERICAN LEAGUE

NEW YORK, May 8 — The New York Yankees finally dropped their first game of the season on their home field today when the Philadelphia Athletics [illegible] Russ Christopher's seven-hit pitching with a fourteen-hit attack that gave them a 9 to 4 decision over the American League champions.

Until the Athletics opened their big guns in the third and fourth innings the champs had [illegible] for eight straight in the Yankee Stadium, the last five in-a-row.

Christopher was nicked for a two-run homer by Bill Dickey in the second inning but the Mackmen bounded back with five tallies off Atley Donald and then picked four more in the fourth before they were squelched by Milkman Jim Turner.

Christopher also stopped Bill Johnson's hitting streak after the rookie third baseman had run it to [illegible] games.

[illegible] throttled the Athletics after the fourth.

		R	H	E
Philadelphia	[illegible] 400 000	9	14	0
New York	020 020 000	4	7	2

Batteries: Christopher and Swift; Donald, Turner (?) and Dickey.

BROWNS TURN ON CLEVELAND

ST. LOUIS, May 8 — Three [illegible] hits from the bat of Junior Stephens, including a two-run homer, and some fine [illegible] labor by Al Hollingsworth presented the [illegible] a 3 to 2 decision over the Cleveland Indians today.

		R	H	E
Cleveland	000 011 000	2	7	1
St. Louis	001 200 01x	3	8	0

Batteries: Harder and Rosar; Sundra, Hollingsworth (8) and Hayes.

RED SOX BEAT WASHINGTON, 2-1

WASHINGTON, May 8 — A single by Pete Fox [illegible] Partee gave the Boston Red Sox a 2 to 1 victory over the Washington Senators today in a ten-inning tussle before 5,000 fans.

		R	H	E
Boston	[illegible]	2	5	
Washington	000 100 000 0	1	6	2

Batteries: [illegible]

COAST LEAGUE

SEATTLE, May 8 — Seattle swept a Pacific Coast League baseball double-header with San Francisco here today, winning the first game 5 to 4 in fourteen innings and the seven-inning nightcap 3 to 2.

It was an exciting twenty-one [illegible] of baseball as the Seattle Rainiers [illegible] their first home [illegible] of the season.

The Rainiers [illegible] on Sam Gibson for four hits in the sixth inning of the second game to come from behind with the two runs needed to clinch the game. The rally was topped by Jim Jewell's double.

First game

		R	H	E
San Francisco	000 200 002 000 00	4	15	5
Seattle	000 120 100 000 01	5	15	2

Batteries: [illegible]

Second game

		R	H	E
San Francisco	010 001 0	2	8	0
Seattle	000 102 x	3	7	0

Batteries: Gibson and Sprinz; Carnett and Stone.

OAKLAND, Calif., May 8 — The Oaks exploded eight runs in the third inning today to beat Sacramento 12 to 5 and assume a firmer grip on their Coast League baseball upper division spot.

[illegible] league [illegible] kept his string intact at .??? by making a fielding appearance despite an injury suffered when he was hit by a pitched ball yesterday. [illegible] took over second base for the first pitch and then yielded to Walter Raimondi.

		R	H	E
Sacramento	023 000 [illegible]	5	7	2
Oakland	[illegible]	[illegible]	14	2

Batteries: [illegible] and Peterson; [illegible] and B. Raimondi.

HOLLYWOOD, May 8 — [illegible] in the eighth inning to tie up the game and then [illegible] a 3 to 2 victory over San Diego today. [illegible]

		R	H	E
San Diego	[illegible]	2	8	3
Hollywood	[illegible]	3	6	0

Batteries: [illegible] and Ballinger; Thomas and Younger.

Lady Jockey Makes Debut at Pimlico

Judy Johnson, the first woman jockey to be licensed in the United States, makes her debut in competition in the first race at Pimlico, Md. She is pictured on Lone Gallant (No. 11) taking the water jump. She did not win, but neither did she spill or balk, taking the fifteen hedges gracefully, and her ride left little to be desired. No. 10 is St. Patrick's Day and No. 5 is Emma's Pet. Winner was Circus, with Rougemont second and Naruna third. None is shown in this picture.

North Shore and Boeings Play to Scoreless Draw

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP) — North Shore United and Boeings will have to meet again to decide which team enters The Province Cup final. They battled to a scoreless draw in one of the semi-finals here today after thirty minutes of overtime before a crowd of [illegible] persons.

Taking the game all through the Uniteds were lucky to escape defeat. In fact a majority of the spectators were convinced that Boeings scored a legitimate goal in overtime, and that Referee [illegible] erred in disallowing it.

Boeings played typical cup-tie football, fast on the ball, keen in tackling and making first time passes which generally found their man.

On the other hand United were very poor in these respects and but for the brilliant work of Glover at centre-half the North Shore would have passed from the competition.

PORTLAND, Ore., May 8 (AP) — The Los Angeles Angels drove home three runs in the eleventh inning today to snatch the fourth straight Coast League baseball game from the Portland Beavers 9 to 6.

		R	H	E
Los Angeles	202 000 020 03	9	11	3
Portland	000 040 101 00	6	9	3

Batteries: P. Mallory, Phipps (4) and Land; Orrell, Pieretti (4), White (9) and Easterwood.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Montreal 8, Baltimore 4.
Syracuse at Toronto, both games postponed.
Jersey City at Buffalo postponed.
Newark at Rochester postponed.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

St. Paul 0, Milwaukee 20.
Minneapolis 8, Kansas City 1.
Columbus Indianapolis postponed.

Bowling

ARCADE BOWLING ALLEYS

[illegible]

Coach and Horses won two.

[illegible]

Gorge Hotel won two.

Jesters — Dot McBeath [illegible], Connie Lewis 408, Betty Elves, 481, handicap, 3. Total, 1,438.
Jesters won by default.

GIBSON'S BOWLADROME

C.O.A.V. LEAGUE

[illegible]

No. 4 won two.

No. 5—E. Hrabes 436, P. Pinfold, 460, P. Hrabes, 614. Total, [illegible].
No. 2—M. Riddell 461, O. Campbell 394. Total, [illegible].
No. 5 won three.

No. 1—W. Brookes 450, P. Walsh 396, D. Bradean [illegible], M. Miller 441, J. Walsh 486, handicap 456. Total, [illegible].
No. 3—Mrs. Windrove 430, Mrs. Dryden 432, O. Windrove 444, E. Dryden [illegible], T. Bissenden, 387, handicap, 361. Total, 2,462.
No. 1 won three.

BALL TROUBLES FIXED

SEATTLE, May 8 (AP) — Professional player troubles of the Northwest Shipyards Baseball League were straightened out today.

Concern had arisen suddenly over the status of Hal Spindel and Alan Strange, managers of Seattle entries. Bill Mulligan, Seattle Rainier manager, reported a telegram from Judge W. A. Bramham, minor leagues executive, warning against the use of outlaw professional players.

Developments today indicated that neither Strange nor Spindel, who [illegible] out of organized baseball to work in shipyards, were in that class. Spindel received notice that he had been granted the voluntary retirement status which he had requested and Strange was informed that the St. Louis Browns had asked Baseball Commissioner K. M. Landis to put him on the suspended list.

Thirty-four schoolboys, average age of sixteen, marched fifty-eight miles from Petersfield, Hampshire, to London. They had been evacuated from London to Petersfield and were returning to their original school.

Blackpool Victorious

Beats Sheffield Before 47,000

LONDON, May 8 (CP) — Blackpool today won the League North football cup by defeating Sheffield Wednesday [illegible] the British major football season.

A crowd of 47,000 turned out at Sheffield to watch Blackpool take the second game of the series 2-? The first game ended in a 2-2 tie.

Blackpool scored a few minutes before half time and went two goals up early in the second half. The Wednesday cut the margin by scoring four minutes before the final whistle.

Glasgow Rangers, after playing a 1-1 tie with Falkirk at Hampden Park, were awarded the Scottish Southern League cup. Extra time had been provided in case of a draw but this was canceled and the result decided by corners, the Rangers getting [illegible] to their opponents three.

A replay will be necessary in the Scottish Northeastern Mitchell Cup [illegible] as Raith Rovers and Aberdeen battled to a scoreless draw.

In semi-finals of the Scottish [illegible] Cup, Hibernians defeated Partick Thistle 1-0, but the other game, Motherwell versus Airdrieonians, was postponed.

At Cardiff, Wales and England battled to a 1-1 draw in international match. Wales, fired by an enthusiastic crowd of 25,000 nearly sprang a surprise. They stepped into an early lead which they held until almost the closing minute.

Sports Snapshots

By [illegible]

TORONTO, May 8 (CP) — [illegible] have their seasons mixed up in Montreal. It's only May, the baseball season is just starting. But what do they do in Montreal? Burn with football fever, no less.

Under the auspices of the Quebec Rugby Football Union, and [illegible] it was decided at a meeting this week to operate six teams next fall. The three services [illegible] and air force will be represented along with three civilian teams: Verdun Grads, McGill University and Canadian Vickers.

[illegible] Queen's University, Hamilton Tigers, Ottawa Rough Riders and Montreal in the [illegible]

[illegible] for establishing Canadian football on a coast-to-coast basis [illegible]

It's going to be a big thing for football in Montreal. And if those fellows from the West and from Ontario want to freeze us out of playing for the Grey Cup why we'll snub them this time and we'll take our champions down East to Halifax [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] the job because of his health. He [illegible] to move to Edmonton.

Jack Stewart, Detroit Red Wings' [illegible] defenceman, has joined the R.C.A.F.

ARMSTRONG PROMOTED

REGINA, May 8 (CP) — Cpl. Murray Armstrong, former star with Brooklyn Americans, National Hockey League team, has been granted a commission as provisional second lieutenant.

Cpl. Armstrong led Regina Army [illegible] senior hockey team, of which he was [illegible] to the Saskatchewan championship this season and was awarded the trophy for being the most valuable player [illegible]

GRAPHIC GOLF

BY BEST BALL

KEEPING THE POSITION CONSTANT

Bobby Jones' penchant for keeping his feet close together in his stance is largely responsible for the smooth manner in which he makes his backstroke with no apparent semblance of a sidewise movement. While many other players present a definite sway in which the weight seems transferred to the right foot at the top, the former Grand Slammer's position at this point reflects much of the same [illegible] as complete a [illegible]

From such a position it is possible to swing powerfully through the ball without disturbing the position of the body. And one of the [illegible]

In the above illustration the finish is a great deal like his start. The bend at the waist is the same and the head anchored securely, [illegible] Jones' head during the stroke that it appears clamped in position, yet his body moves freely, efficiently [illegible]

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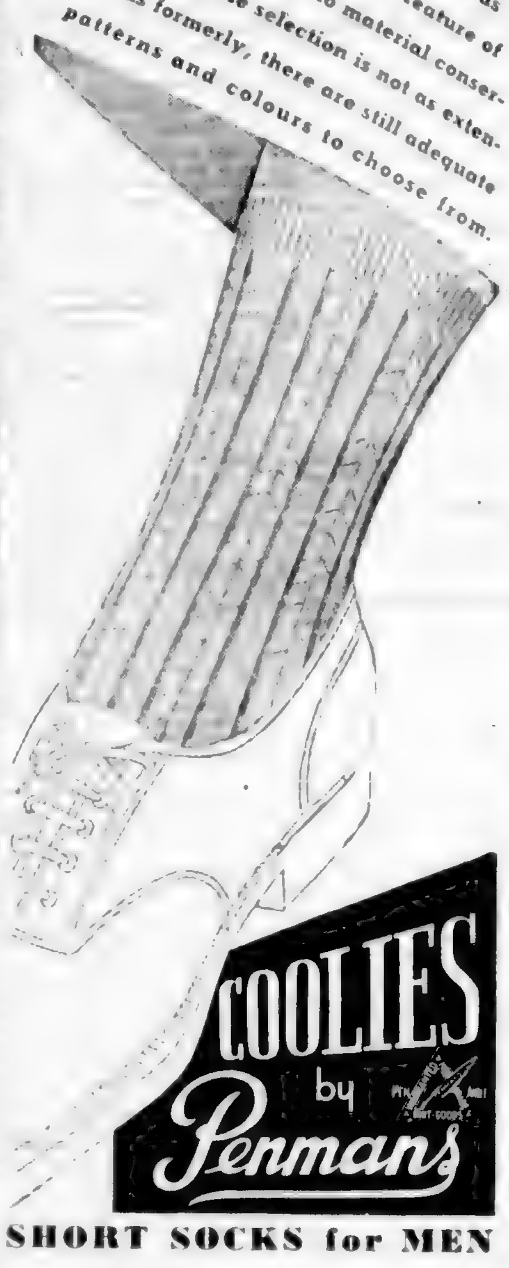

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[illegible]

Pte. Greco Is Winner

Canadian Boxer Displays Class

MONTREAL, May 8 (CP)—Pte. Johnny Greco, the pride of the Canadian Army, carried his many [illegible] for Lazzo [illegible] of New York [illegible] the Manhattan welterweight in ten stirring rounds. Both men were staggered several times but [illegible] and were [illegible]. The Canadian soldier's slighter punching [illegible] the size advantage of the heavy [illegible].

Greco made a formidable bid for a shot at Beau Jacques lightweight title by pulling out a clear-cut decision over Young [illegible] of the larger [illegible] since the days of Maurice [illegible] Kid Roy turned out for the [illegible] sponsored by the Canadian Army. Greco was [illegible] that Young [illegible].

The Montreal boy, appearing in his first major bout before a home crowd, turned in a [illegible] of [illegible] as he [illegible] over the [illegible] Young. Both Kid [illegible] the Canadian [illegible] were given [illegible] points after two going to [illegible] at [illegible]. It was one of the best [illegible] bouts [illegible] over [illegible]. Mike [illegible] the size of New York's Jacques Beau came to Montreal for [illegible] and demonstrated that [illegible] New York [illegible] champion some time [illegible].

The Canadian soldier [illegible] the first two rounds after [illegible] and [illegible] Young with a hard right [illegible] through the [illegible] that sent the New Yorker to the [illegible] [illegible] seemed to [illegible] Greco [illegible] Young the rest [illegible].

[illegible] Greco [illegible] and rallied just before the bell [illegible].

Major League Leaders

[illegible]

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Batting—Cuyler, Pittsburgh, .362.

Runs—Cavarretta, Brooklyn, [illegible].

Runs Batted In—Vaughan, Brooklyn, 14.

Hits—Frey, Cincinnati, [illegible].

Doubles—Herman, Brooklyn, [illegible].

Triples—Russell, Pittsburgh, [illegible].

Cartier, Boston, and [illegible] St. Louis, 3.

Home Runs—Litwhiler, Philadelphia, 3.

Stolen Bases—Nine players tied with two each.

Pitching—Sewell, Pittsburgh, [illegible]; Allen, Brooklyn, 2-0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Batting—Stephens, St. Louis, .36[illegible].

Runs—Case, Washington, and Keller, New York, [illegible].

Runs Batted In—Stephens, Washington, 14.

Hits—White, Philadelphia, 2.

Doubles—Case, Washington, 8.

Triples—Keller, New York, 3.

Home Runs—Keller, New York, 2.

Stolen Bases—Averill, Washington, [illegible].

Pitching—Marrero, New York, 4-0.

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Workman: "Would you increase my wages? I was married yesterday."

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[illegible]

Double Play During Big League Fixture

The New York Giants Batted Out an Easy Victory Over the Boston Braves, 11 to 3. The Above Action, Seen During the Fifth Inning of Game, Shows Workman (4) Out at Second. Orengo (R) Threw to Jungers at First, for Double Play, Putting McCarthy Out at First.

Pro-Recs Capture Cup-Tie Fixture

Vancouver Soccer Eleven Scores Close Win—Royals Defeated

[illegible] proud of his youthful football eleven flying the colors of the Vancouver [illegible] speak: in other words he gave the squad the "go-ahead signal" to try [illegible]

[illegible]

FLYERS HOLD BIG EDGE

[illegible]

VANCOUVER WINS

[illegible]

Softballers All Set for Big Season

Army and Flyers to Meet Tuesday Night

[illegible] May 17 Secretary Ed White of the Lower Island Softball Association [illegible]

[illegible]

SENIOR "A" SECTION

[illegible]

SENIOR "C" SECTION

[illegible]

Bay Meadows to Get More Days

[illegible]

No Racing At Renton

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SEATTLE, May 8 [illegible] Wash. State Racing Commission [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] of the [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

Records Fall At Meeting

Brentwood Holds Big Track Event

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Many Queues In England

LONDON, May 8 (CP)—You've got to have the patience of Job in Britain these days if you want to get a [illegible] of daffodils, a wanted cabbage or even a sitting ticket into a neighborhood theatre.

It's first come first served and there are few places where you [illegible] find a queue [illegible]. Even in the evening a person may have to queue for a [illegible] and bitter."

Queues run from grocers' shops, vegetable stands, fish markets, [illegible] shops, wine merchants, [illegible] and tobacco [illegible]. Queuing has become such a habit [illegible] of persons one [illegible] stands to make [illegible] copy of the daily papers which have been drastically reduced in number through paper rationing.

The practice [illegible] has become so widespread that the Government, backed by war working [illegible] and shopkeepers, has [illegible] War factories complain that queueing is delaying production of war material and munitions.

The problem has been placed at the forefront of a forthcoming conference of the retail food trade. It [illegible] towns to introduce a [illegible] shopping [illegible] staggered [illegible] hours at [illegible] offices and later [illegible].

Workers throughout the country [illegible] asking shops [illegible] complete weeks [illegible]. Women with [illegible] have been [illegible] to [illegible] four or five [illegible] a week thinking that by [illegible] stores they may pick up something which [illegible] scarce.

[illegible] on the war [illegible] was emphasized at a conference [illegible] trade unions [illegible] urged to take action with the Ministry of Labor and Ministry of Food to abolish queues.

"If [illegible] were abolished hundreds [illegible] who say shopping [illegible] time would be [illegible] part-time work," Mrs. [illegible] forty-eight-[illegible] mother of eight, told the conference.

Be careful, when advocating that outraged feelings be cloaked in charitable silence if you do not want to encourage the person responsible for their rise to feel that his conduct meets with your approval. Remember that rudeness never is justified and that any encouragement of it generally ends in many bitter regrets. Married and engaged couples and those who feel their optimistic matrimonial expectations are justified will do well to remember [illegible]

As your danger [illegible]

If you are a woman and May 10 is your birthday your high regard for your word will cause your close associates to have implicit confidence in your promises. You never can figure the cost of happiness in the terms of dollars and cents so never let mercenary considerations outweigh the dictates of your heart. Be careful that blindness to the faults of those who you love deeply does not subject you to justly deserved criticism. As a critic, editor, author, musician, teacher, broker, skilled mechanic or efficient worker in war defence work, business manager, dietitian, singer or [illegible] you should attain remarkably fine results and find yourself on the highway to prosperity. Remember that marriage is a game of give and take and you should have no difficulty in making a success of yours.

The child born on May 10 should be made to exercise his mind by memorizing prose and verse. Familiarity with the classics of English literature will prove very valuable and may exercise a favorable [illegible] Taurus child's future activities. Conditions are conducive for the youngster born under this zodiacal sign to achieve a maximum degree of success.

If you are a man and May 10 is your natal day, your motto should be "Live and let live" if you wish to be successful in your business undertakings; however, if you are called upon to participate in wartime activities you will have to bear in mind constantly that these are days during which it may be a case of "kill or get killed," and that chivalrous impulses, if followed, may be exceedingly dangerous. As a [illegible] theologian, actor, author, journalist, lawyer, business executive, inventor, agriculturist, chemist, manufacturer or salesman, you may win many laurels.

The Rev. [illegible]

Conductor on train: "Fare!"

The passenger paid no attention to the conductor's demand.

Conductor: "Fare, please."

Still the passenger was oblivious [illegible] term 'Fare,' I imply no reference to the state of the weather, not even to the kind of service vouchsafed by this philanthropic company. I merely alluded, in a manner perhaps savoring of density, but not [illegible] to the monetary obligation incurred by your presence in this car and suggest that you liquidate."

London County Councils plan Summer entertainments of ballet and boxing this year to encourage stay-at-home holidays.

Former Editor Now Lieut.-Col.

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, May 8 (CP)—Maj. C. S. Walker, [illegible] chief of the Canadian Army [illegible] Bureau [illegible] to the rank [illegible] the army at [illegible].

Col. Walker, former managing editor of the [illegible] leader [illegible]. He was attached to the [illegible] Regiment.

Two other [illegible] Beaumont [illegible] have a major and [illegible] be staff [illegible] Walker at army headquarters.

Major Beaumont, formerly a member of the Lake Superior Regiment, [illegible] Relations Unit [illegible] fall after [illegible] a forestry [illegible] he was formerly a reporter for The Port Arthur News-Chronicle and The Toronto [illegible].

[illegible]

"Trouble Breeders"

WASHINGTON, May [illegible]

[illegible]

A schoolmaster giving a music lesson inquired whether the pupils had any favorite anthem they would like to sing.

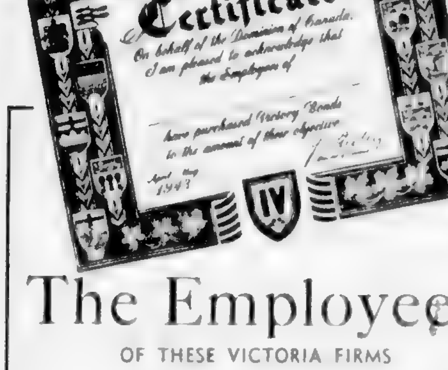
"God Save the King," said one of the lads.

"Now tell me what made you think of the National Anthem?"

"Because [illegible] it's time to go home."

A M.P. [illegible] asked a friend.

"Yes," replied the M.P., "[illegible] necessary [illegible] the [illegible]."



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[illegible]

If you are a woman and May 9 [illegible] day you may appear to be far more serious than you really are [illegible] you may be the eternal spirit of Youth. Whatever individual personalities you have may [illegible] more [illegible] than harm [illegible] and will attract many people to [illegible]. As a physician, jurist, politician, scientist, educator, journalist, author, actor, inventor, skilled mechanic, agriculturist, business executive, sales agent, public official or as a member of one of your country's fighting forces you may have unlimited opportunities to carve out an outstanding career.

TAURUS

If May 10 is your birthday the best hours [illegible] will be from 8:45 [illegible] 45 a.m. from 1:45 to 3:45 p.m. and from 7:45 to 9:45 p.m. The danger periods will be from 7:45 to 9:45 a.m. [illegible] 45 to 7:45 p.m. and from 9:45 to 11:45 p.m.

Presence of mind and self-control will be [illegible] importance if the [illegible] May 10 is to pass without incident. If you are faced with a difficult situation, fall back on past experience to help you to find the right solution; doing so you probably will not be disappointed with the ultimate outcome.

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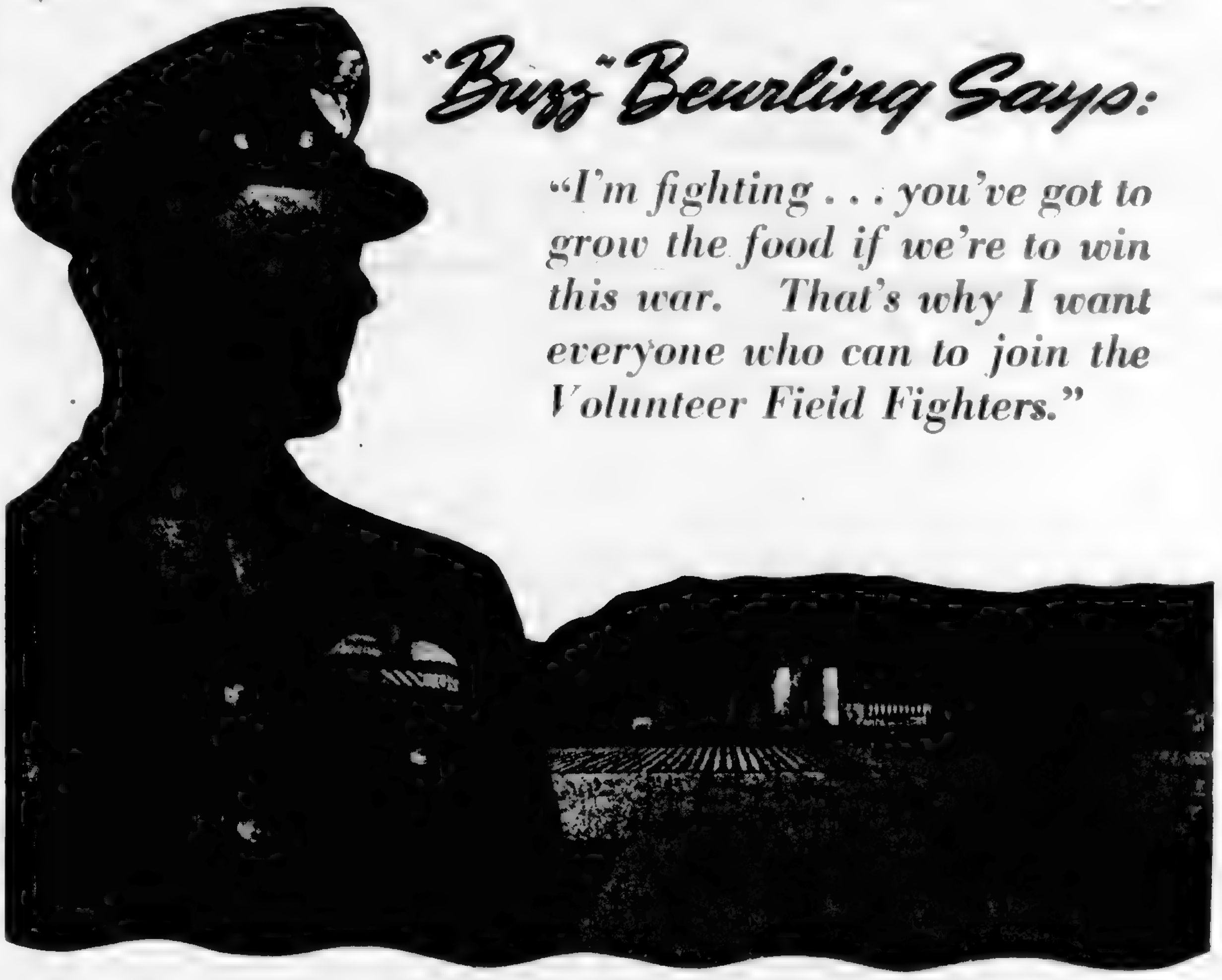

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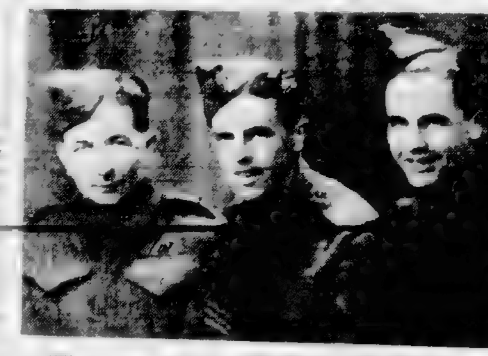

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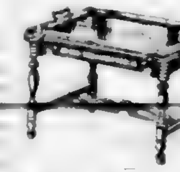

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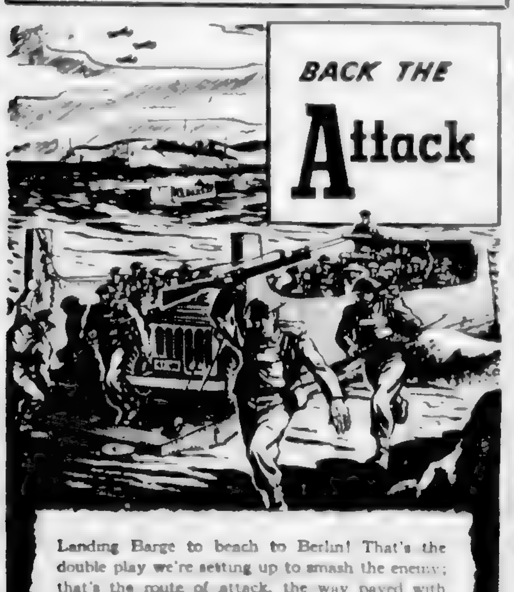

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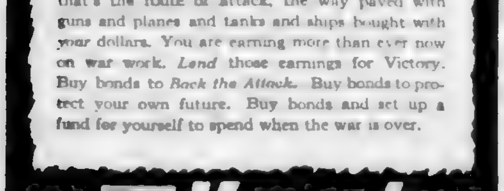

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The hardworking salesmen have now practically completed their calls—the first "round" is over, but we are still far short of ringing the bell of Victory. These same men will call on you again this coming week in the hope that the same spirit which prompted you to buy one bond will induce you to buy another. But to you who have not been called upon by a salesman, and who may still be missed in this gigantic task, we say

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And Now Here Are the Actual Figures to Date---What Are YOU Going to do About It?
Every Single Bond Helps---EVERY POSSIBLE DOLLAR MUST BE MOBILIZED!

	Quota	Total to Date	Still Required
ALBERNI and WEST COAST	620,000.00	255,400.00	364,600.00
COMOX-COURTENAY	406,000.00	182,900.00	223,100.00
COWICHAN DISTRICT	680,000.00	302,050.00	377,950.00
ESQUIMALT	800,000.00	540,650.00	259,350.00
NANAIMO	714,000.00	400,550.00	313,450.00
OAK BAY	1,105,000.00	594,200.00	510,800.00
SAANICH and GULF ISLANDS	1,075,000.00	570,000.00	505,000.00
VICTORIA	4,100,000.00	2,509,500.00	1,590,500.00
VANCOUVER ISLAND	**9,500,000.00**	**5,355,250.00**	**4,144,750.00**

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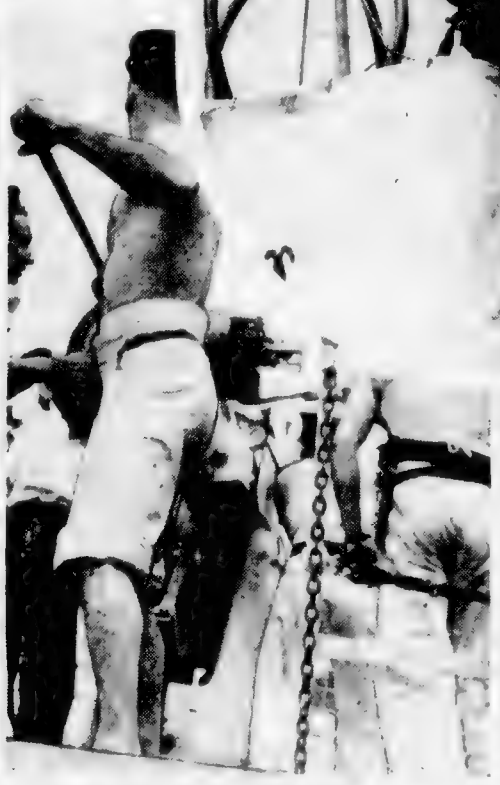
THIS SPACE DONATED TO THE NATIONAL WAR FINANCE COMMITTEE

Sea Lanes Cleared by R.C.N. as Supplies Flow to Allied Invasion Points

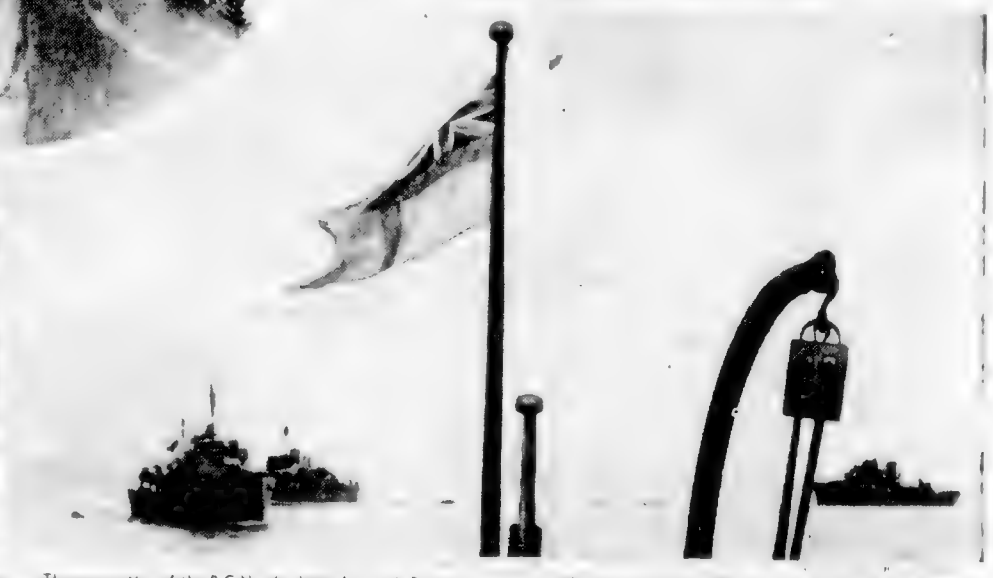
Men of corvette Port Arthur re enact capture of a Nazi submarine crew for camera-men of the National Film Board. Shortly after the film was made Port Arthur sank an Italian submarine in Mediterranean

Lt E T Simmons D S C plays prominent part in capture of Nazi submarine in film, "Corvette Port Arthur" Above: seaman relays orders. The navigator plots course Gunnery officer stands by for his orders

Along deck of submarine goes Lt E T Simmons D S C, with German prisoner In film submarine is scuttled by its crew, and as it goes down Lt Simmons swims to his corvette



Gunners of corvette Port Arthur bring their weapon to bear on enemy submarine Although here it is only for the camera this crew has Italian submarine to their credit



Three corvettes of the R C N wheel into line with Producer Joris Ivens and Cameraman John Norwood circle filming them from the bridge of the Port Arthur

In "Corvette Port Arthur" the story is told of the victory of a Canadian sub chaser over a German submarine during a trip across the Atlantic on convoy duty

Pipers' Society Hears History of Fighting Scots

Letters to the Editor

AIR RAID PRECAUTIONS

GREATER VICTORIA

PROVINCIAL FLOWER EMBLEM

U.S. MARINES ADOPT PIPES AND DRUMS

Japanese Given Surrender Pass

Medical Care for Soldiers Anywhere

Anti-British Letters Bring Woman's Arrest

Yacht Racing Today

MONEY In the Bag

HERE IS AN EASY WAY TO GET SOME MONEY

Wartime priorities and rationing on new items is creating a demand for all used articles, and inexpensive little Want Ads reach out and find buyers for those items. Use the "Miscellaneous for Sale" column to sell the things you no longer need

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Desert Warfare Seen In Stirring Action Hit

In John Brophy's "Immortal Sergeant," which is now showing at the Dominion Theatre, Twentieth Century-Fox brings to the screen the [illegible] stirring drama to come out of the [illegible] desert warfare which [illegible] British victory in Libya. Starring Henry Fonda and Maureen O'Hara, the action-packed film [illegible] translated to the screen, from [illegible]

[illegible] tense suspense [illegible] constructed in [illegible] detail a story of average men growing to the stature of heroes [illegible] which is brought to the screen, becomes an epic of men under fire. [illegible] tender love scene between Fonda and Miss O'Hara [illegible] just where a soldier's thoughts are when [illegible] between [illegible] screen play.

Romantic Triangle in Action Drama

John Wayne, Marlene Dietrich and Randolph Scott form the romantic triangle around which the swift action of "Pittsburgh" revolves. The three are co-starred in the Universal picture which opens tomorrow at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres.

Amusements

On the Screen

Atlas—[illegible] Bombay [illegible]

Cadet—"Captains of the Clouds," starring James Cagney and Brenda Marshall.

Capitol—"Random Harvest," starring Greer Garson and Ronald Colman.

Dominion—"Immortal Sergeant," starring Henry Fonda and Maureen O'Hara.

Oak Bay and Plaza—Marlene Dietrich, Randolph Scott and John Wayne in "Pittsburgh."

Rio—Clark Gable and Rosalind Russell in "They Met in Bombay."

York—Edgar Bergen and Fibber McGee and Molly in "Here We Go Again."

Three Great Stars to Appear in Melodrama

Violent melodrama moving swiftly along the turbulent course of American progress [illegible] the significant appeal of [illegible] "Pittsburgh," coming Monday to the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres. The picture is said to be [illegible] drama [illegible] of modern pioneers who have given [illegible] industrial the epoch.

Marlene Dietrich, Randolph Scott and John Wayne are co-starred in the distinguished cast which [illegible] Frank Craven, Louise Allbritton and Shemp Howard. Important supporting roles are carried by Thomas Gomez, Ludwig Stossel and Samuel S. Hinds.

[illegible] face hardship [illegible] and are eventually united by the war effort. Miss Dietrich has the role of the girl, a miner's daughter. Wayne and Scott appear as rivals for her [illegible]. Craven is seen as a [illegible] and Miss Allbritton's assignment is that of a debutante.

She watched the door of her [illegible] "A good impression must be created."

Hurriedly she [illegible] phone receiver and became engaged in an [illegible] conversation. Then an appointment having been arranged she replaced the receiver and asked: "What can I do for you, sir?"

A moment's pause and then: "If you please, ma'am, I've come to connect the telephone."

Gay Musical Will Appear at Atlas

[illegible]

Star Comedy to Open at York

The efforts of a wily promoter to finance a fake synthetic gasoline [illegible] the laugh-packed theme of "Here We Go Again," RKO Radio's [illegible] Edgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy and Fibber McGee and Molly, which opens at the York Theatre on Monday.

[illegible] In all good faith Fibber [illegible] a part interest in the invention to the rich Bergen, and not until later does he find the whole thing is a fake.

Fibber's subsequent efforts to make Cadwalader repay the money and to straighten out his own tangled [illegible]

In addition [illegible] the irrepressible Charlie, Bergen introduces another [illegible] Mortimer Snerd in the film [illegible] Ginny Simms handles the romance with Bergen.

[illegible]

Vivid War Romance Held Over on Capitol Screen

Ronald Colman and Greer Garson, teamed for the first time, provide a thrilling romance and a dramatic [illegible] in "Random Harvest," [illegible] James Hilton's [illegible] which has been held over at the Capitol Theatre.

[illegible] Englishman who loses all memory of his past [illegible]

Gable, Russell in Drama Now at Rio

"They Met in Bombay," the film which opens at the Rio Theatre on Monday [illegible] stars Clark Gable and Rosalind Russell for the first time in an adventure [illegible] Peter Lorre, Jessie Ralph, Reginald [illegible]

Heroic Flying Saga New Cadet Feature

Canada's [illegible] of the air [illegible] "Captains of the Clouds," the Warner Bros. [illegible]

Novel Circus to Come to Victoria

[illegible] greatest thrill ride, a super-rollo-plane, tilt-a-whirl, ferris wheel, merry-go-round, and the aerial [illegible]

R.A.F. to Present "Smile" Show Here

[illegible]

Military Activities

203rd (RES.) FIELD BATTERY, R.C.A.

[illegible]

[illegible], Capt., Officer Commanding 203rd (Res.) Field Battery, R.C.A.

3rd (RES.) BATTALION, THE CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT, M.G.

[illegible]

D. FYVIE, Capt. and Adjt., for Officer Commanding 3rd (Res.) Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment, M.G.

11th (INF.) RES. COMPANY VETERAN GUARDS OF CANADA (R.) C.A.

[illegible]

No. 1 (RES.) R.C.O.C. FORTRESS WORKSHOP

[illegible] M. Urquhart, orderly N.C.O. for week ending May 15, 1943, Cpl. W. J. Main.

11th RESERVE FIELD AMBULANCE, R.C.A.M.C.

[illegible]

Drop Inquiry

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP).—[illegible]

Release Lumber

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP).—Release [illegible] lumber [illegible] for the Lower Mainland area [illegible] was announced today by D. D. Rosenberry [illegible]

AT BOTH THEATRES
Plaza ODEON Oak Bay
STARTS TOMORROW
Men of Steel! Women of Fire! ... they made Pittsburgh a roaring 20's ROAR!
Pittsburgh
starring MARLENE DIETRICH, RANDOLPH SCOTT, JOHN WAYNE
FRANK CRAVEN, LOUISE ALLBRITTON, SHEMP HOWARD, THOMAS GOMEZ, LUDWIG STOSSEL, SAMUEL S. HINDS
Added JANE DARWELL in "PRIVATE NURSE"
20c
EXTRA NEWS
BACK THE ATTACK ● BUY THE FOURTH VICTORY LOAN

RIO
STARTS MONDAY
Clark GABLE · Rosalind RUSSELL
CLARENCE BROWN'S "They MET IN BOMBAY"
PETER LORRE
"ROAD TO HAPPINESS"
PRICES 15c 20c Kiddies 10c

CADET
"CAPTAINS OF THE CLOUDS"
IN TECHNICOLOR

By Kind Permission of Group Capt. [illegible] Pope, D.F.C., A.F.C.
ROYAL AIR FORCE
Presents
"SMILE"
Their New All-Laughter Revue
Royal Victoria Theatre
Wednesday, May 12th
Seats on Sale at Fletcher Bros., [illegible] Douglas Street
Prices 75c to $1.50

THE STAGETTE CLUB
Wanted—100,000 Pennies
in aid of
MAIDSTONE STREET SCHOOL, LONDON, ENGLAND
For Bombed Out Children
Mail Contributions to P.O. Box [illegible]
Watch for News of Dance to Be Held June 1

CRESCENT CARNIVAL SHOWS
VICTORIA
BLANSHARD STREET AT GALT
ONE WEEK
May 10 to 15
FERRIS WHEEL
MERRY-GO-ROUND
TILT-A-WHIRL
[illegible]
ROLL-O-PLANE
AERIAL JOY RIDE
FUN ● THRILLS
CHILLS ● LAFFS
DON'T MISS IT
BRING THE FAMILY

FAMOUS PLAYERS THEATRES
HELD OVER
A TRULY GREAT PICTURE so intensely satisfying that desire for finer Entertainment, that an all time high in attendance is being recorded daily. Held over to accommodate those who have not seen it and also those who want to see it again
HERE is romance tender and throbbing, a beautiful woman warm, valiant, gentle, with a capacity to love deeply ... this man forgotten ... wandering in a desperate state of bewilderment!
RONALD COLMAN
GREER GARSON
JAMES HILTON'S Random Harvest
WITH PHILOP DORN ● SUSAN PETERS
DOORS OPEN AT 11:30 A.M.
Extra! Colored Cartoon "SUFFERING CATS"
Capitol

STARTING MONDAY FOR 3 DAYS
2 HITS BROUGHT BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND
THRILL TO ACTION, ROMANCE, MUSIC!
Nelson EDDY in "Balalaika" with ILONA MASSEY, Charles Ruggles ● Frank Morgan
WOMAN SEEKS MAN ... AND GETS HIM ... BUT YOU OUGHT TO SEE HOW!
GREER GARSON, LAURENCE OLIVIER in "Pride and Prejudice" with MARY BOLAND ● EDNA MAY OLIVER and RUTHERFORD, O'SULLIVAN
ATLAS

MONDAY ONLY
Out of the War in Africa Comes the Greatest Human Drama of Our Times!
STARRING HENRY FONDA - MAUREEN O'HARA in "Immortal Sergeant"
WITH THOMAS MITCHELL
DOMINION
24c Tax Incl.
EXTRA OZZIE NELSON
BARNYARD BLACKOUT
"SKI TRAILS"

STARTS TOMORROW! YORK HOME OF HAPPY HITS!
ALL LAUGH! ALL FUN SHOW!
Together in Laughter Again! —with a whole troop of radio top-notchers to make this even funnier than their first!
EDGAR BERGEN and CHARLIE McCARTHY, FIBBER McGEE and MOLLY in HERE WE GO AGAIN
"THE GREAT GILDERSLEEVE" · GINNY SIMMS
Bill Thompson · Gale Gordon · Isabel Randolph · 'Mortimer Snerd' · and RAY NOBLE and Band
COMICAL MISADVENTURE! SAUCY! GAY!
Garbo plays twin sisters ...and ever-lovin' Melvyn Douglas falls for both of them! Together again for the first time since "Ninotchka," these stars bring you twice the love-laughs and sparkle!
GARBO
MELVYN DOUGLAS
TWO-FACED WOMAN

Expect Busy Week for Committees of House

OTTAWA, May 8 (CP)—Some intensive committee work lies ahead of members of Parliament in the coming weeks. When Parliament resumed Thursday after the Easter recess it came back to an unusual situation respecting the progress of business compared with other years.

[illegible]

and others having charge of parts of the war programme are expected to make statements and be questioned remains to be dealt with and so do practically all the non-war estimates.

Some of the committees have been set up but none has made much progress with its work. On Friday the House radio committee was appointed but its work this year is not expected to be as heavy as in 1942 when the appointment of the committee was preceded by a complete review of the administration of the CBC at that time. The bulk of the session last week was not particularly productive of the work set up [illegible]

MUCH TO DO ON SOCIAL SECURITY

The social security committee, which was [illegible] in a state of near inactivity, resumed last week and it is expected that body will [illegible] the tempo of its work and hold more than the two [illegible] a week it has held so far [illegible] a position to report before the end of the month.

The social security committee has been [illegible] representations from interested organizations on the [illegible] bill. It was [illegible] to study the [illegible] bill and before [illegible] to seek opinions from provincial governments which, under the plan proposed, would be called upon to set up and administer the health insurance system.

[illegible] the committee will deal with a [illegible] social security measures [illegible] up although it has before it a report outlining a comprehensive [illegible] including contributory pensions, family allowances, [illegible] health insurance and [illegible] and unemployment insurance.

COAL INDUSTRIES IN NOVA SCOTIA

[illegible] committees allocating [illegible] committee [illegible] Nova Scotia [illegible] and made a study of the operations of the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Administration in Western Canada [illegible] equipment to other parts of Canada.

The public accounts committee which before the recess started an inquiry into operations [illegible] expected to push that inquiry further.

Other important committees yet to get down to work are the Defence of Canada Regulations committee which makes an annual review and suggests any amendments to the extraordinary wartime [illegible] the estimates of the expert and the war expenditures committee which [illegible] war expenditures with a view to suggesting economies and improved methods.

[illegible] be referred to the standing committees of the House. The first [illegible] may go to the [illegible] committee.

Earlier in the session the Government promised to experiment by referring some of the main estimates to committees but as yet no concrete move has been made in that direction.

[illegible] has changed the [illegible] the BBC [illegible] good [illegible] are [illegible] that they were.

Nanaimo Woman And Man Win In Estate Suit

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP)—[illegible] of the $28,000 [illegible] Jack Hoffman who died in Nanaimo a year ago leaving [illegible] Angela and brother [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] H. I. Bond, [illegible]

A decision to this effect has been made by the [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] and brother [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] H. Ar[illegible] appeal.

His Lordship [illegible] that Mrs. [illegible] Tomlinson [illegible] Nanaimo and that [illegible] death [illegible] became the property of Iowa and Nanaimo.

Drive Enemy Away

[illegible] KINGS, May 8 (CP)—[illegible] Japanese [illegible]

Jail-Breaker Caught

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP)—[illegible]

Good Circulation Assists Natural Healing

Elasto

Tablets

Quick Relief for Leg Sufferers

[illegible]

READ THIS LETTER RECEIVED FROM GRIMSBY

[illegible]

You Naturally Ask — What is Elasto?

[illegible]

Send for FREE SAMPLE AND TESTIMONIALS

Write for these now, learn about this new remedy, and see how easy it is to take. Address Elasto, Dept. [illegible], [illegible] Ontario.

Don't long for relief—try Elasto!

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1. KEYBOARD STYLINGS at 12 Noon, Featuring Al Smith.
2. EB AND ZEB—Fifteen Minutes of Laughs—12:15.
3. WORLD NEWS as Gathered by Canadian Press—12:30.
4. "LET'S TAKE A LOOK IN YOUR MIRROR," Stella Unger—12:45.

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CJVI 1480 kc	CBR 1190 kc	KIRO—710 kc	KOMO—950 kc	KJR—1090 kc	KOL—1300 kc
[illegible]	Rhapsody [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Production Bureau [illegible]	Radio Theatre [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[

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1 BIRTHS

DIONNE—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, May 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Dionne (nee Bertha Jean Saunders), a son.

GENN—Born at St. Joseph's Hospital, May 7, 1943, to Kathleen, wife of Kenneth R. Genn, of Parker Avenue, Beaumont, a son.

HORTON—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on May 7, to Lieut. and Mrs. F. H. A. Horton, Jr., Queenswood Drive, Queenswood, a son.

THORNETT—At Chemainus Hospital, on May 7, to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Thornett (nee Bette H...), Maple Street, Chemainus, a daughter.

3 DEATHS

BROWN—On May 7, 1943, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Ada Marie, beloved wife of George W. Brown, of ... Street, in her ... year. Born in Liverpool, England, a resident of Victoria since 1909. Besides her husband she leaves one son, William Robert Brown, R.C.A.F.; one son, ... and ... in Providence, R.I.; a sister, ... nephews and cousins in the U.S.A. Mrs. Brown was a charter member and past queen of Miriam Temple, No. 3, Daughters of the Nile.

The remains are resting ... Hayward B.C. Funeral Chapel pending funeral arrangements.

BAKER—At the Jubilee Hospital on May 7, Mr. Harold Alfred Baker, aged fifty-three years. He was born in Bedford, England, and had been a resident of Victoria for the past ... years, his late residence being 881 ... Road. He is survived by his ... a son, Sandy ... at the family residence, and ... sisters and brothers.

Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary Ltd. on Monday, May 10, at ... Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson will officiate and interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

CHERNAYE—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital there passed away May 7, Major ... Chernaye ... The late Major Chernaye, who was born in India, ... came to this city three years ago from California. He was predeceased by his wife in February of this year. There survive his ... Mrs. ... 4 ... of San Diego, California. The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home and announcement of funeral will be made later.

FORREST—At the Jubilee Hospital on May 7, Mrs. Agnes H. Forrest, ... years, born in Scotland ... resided all her life ... her husband, one daughter, Mrs. ... of Ocean Park; two sons, ... of Victoria and George ... three brothers and four sisters ... grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary Ltd. on Tuesday, May 11, at 2.15 o'clock. Rev. G. Biddle will officiate and the interment will be in Ross Bay Cemetery.

IRVINE—At his residence, 626 Montreal Street, on May 7, Andrew Irvine, aged seventy-... years, born in ... Islands in 1866, came to Victoria in 1889. For a number of years he was employed with the Canadian Navigation Company and with the C.P.R. Steamship Company until 1932. Survived by two daughters, Mrs. G. Lindsay and Miss ... Irvine, of ...; two sons, Arthur B. Irvine, of Duncan, and ... M. Irvine, of San Francisco; ... grandchildren.

Funeral service in the Thomson Funeral Chapel Tuesday afternoon at ... Rev. P. A. P. Clarke officiating. Interment in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

LEHTINEN—At St. Joseph's Hospital on May 6, 1943, ... Lehtinen, aged ... years, born in Nanaimo ... is survived by his father ... Lehtinen, in Nanaimo; two brothers ... and Edward Lehtinen ... B.C., and one sister, Miss Sadie Lehtinen, in Vancouver, B.C.

Private funeral services in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Monday. Rev. William Allan officiating. Interment at [illegible].

MEIKLEJOHN—At the Jubilee Hospital on May 8, Miss Frances Marie Meiklejohn, aged twenty-four years. She was born in Provost, Alberta, and had been a resident of Saanich for the past ten years, her late residence being Oldfield Road. She is survived by besides her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Meiklejohn, one sister, Patsy, at the family residence.

Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary Limited on Monday, May 10, at ... o'clock. Rev. D. M. Perley will officiate and the interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

3 DEATHS (Continued)

LUM—In Vancouver on May 6, Ng Pons Lum, aged thirty-three years, son of Ng ..., of ... Fisgard Street.

Funeral service this afternoon at 2.30 in the Thomson Funeral Chapel. Rev. Moi Pong Leung conducting the service. Interment in Chinese Cemetery.

SHEA—After a short illness there passed away Friday, May 7, at the Victoria Military Hospital, Sergeant John Thomas Shea, attached to the C.C.A.B. Born at Pincher Creek, Alberta, the late Sergeant Shea, who was ... years of age ... He leaves his widow, Jean, and one daughter, Mary, at the family residence, 579 Parade Street; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shea, ... Haultain Street; also one sister, Miss Patricia Shea, in this city.

Military funeral services will be conducted Monday afternoon, May 10, from the ... United Church at 3 o'clock. Captain the Rev. Norman Caland will officiate and interment will take place in the Naval Garrison Cemetery, Esquimalt. S. J. Curry & Son have charge of arrangements.

2 MARRIAGES

BISHOP-MURDOCH—Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Murdoch, 3014 Concert Street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Adele Kathleen, to Bdr. Roy Bishop, R.C.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. R. Bishop, 1051 Pentrelew Place, which took place on May 8 in Oak Bay United Church. Rev. James Hood officiated.

DORAN-GALLOP—Rev. F. Comley announced the marriage on Friday evening at St. Aidan's Church of Hilda Mary, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gallop, 2114 Belmont Avenue, and Sapper George Doran, R.C.E., son of the late Mr. and Mrs. B. Doran, Nanaimo. Mrs. Esther Allman, cousin of the bride, was her only attendant and Sapper Stanley Doran, R.C.E., was his brother's groomsman.

FROST-PALLAS—Major and Mrs. C. Pallas, 3041 Donald Street, announce the marriage of their eldest daughter, A..., to A.B. Herbert Douglas Frost, R.C.N.V.R., youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Frost, Edmonton, Alta., which took place on May 8 in Fairfield United Church Manse. Rev. J. Hood officiating.

J...-HAMILTON—Mrs. A. ..., ... Street, announces the marriage of her daughter, Margaret ..., to Squadron Leader Norman Richard Johnstone, R.C.A.F., younger son of Mr. T. A. Johnstone and the late Mrs. Johnstone, Winnipeg, which was solemnized by Ven. Archdeacon Nunns in St. Mary's Church on Saturday afternoon, May 8.

MIDLANE-KERGIN—Leah ..., ... youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert F. Kergin, 905 Dave Street, Victoria, B.C., became the bride on Monday, April 26, of Mr. Arthur D. Midlane, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. A... Midlane, Vancouver. The wedding took place at Minneapolis, Minnesota, U.S.A.

WHEELOCK-RIDEWOOD—Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Ridewood announce the marriage of their elder daughter, Betty ..., to Lieutenant Sidney Price Wheelock, R.C.N.V.R., son of Mrs. F. F. Wheelock, Wolfville, Nova Scotia. The wedding took place at St. Matthias Church, Rev. S. G. Mayes Browne officiating, assisted by Rev. Alexander M. Ketcheson, chaplain.

4 CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. R. M. Allen and the boys wish to thank the ... and nurses of the ... Hospital, Dr. G. B. B. Ballard, for their kind attention to the late R. M. Allen, and to the Victoria Branch, and to their many friends for floral tributes and beautiful expressions of sympathy during their recent sad loss.

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WE HAVE FLOWERING SHRUBS, fruit trees, etc.
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40 [illegible] CANNA LILIES, 3 FOR 25c. H. Bridge, 3879 Carey. ...

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A JAMES OR RUDGE AUTOCYCLE wanted for cash. E 3031.

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WANTED FOR CASH, HARLEY DAVIDson ... with good tires. Give full particulars. Box 8780 Colonist.

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WANTED LADY'S BICYCLE, MUST BE in good condition. G 4741.

WANTED LADY'S BICYCLE, MUST BE in good condition ...

1942 RUDGE AUTOCYCLE, EXCELlent ... Cadillac or Box 8461 Colonist.

40I STOVES AND RANGES

A SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT TO THE people of Victoria and district. We buy your used stoves, heaters or other second hand goods, regardless of condition. We pay cash and call anywhere at any time. G 5152.

ANYTHING IN STOVES, FURNITURE wanted regardless of condition. We pay cash for stoves, furniture, ranges, scrap plumbing, machinery, etc. Call us first. Bell ... and bay bonds. G 0647.

A DAVIDSON PREMIER SIX HOLE range, good condition ... E 4...

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CREAM ENAMEL FAWCETT RANGE ... No dealers. B 3...

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FAWCETT FOUR HOLE RANGE, GOOD condition. E ...

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RANGE CASTINGS FOR MOST [illegible]. Bay Hardware, 7.. Fort Street.

WANTED, 100 RANGES [illegible] price paid. Peder's [illegible] Store, 723 Johnson Street. E 1481.

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SIX HOLE RANGES, HALF WHITE enamel, $25 and $30. 380 Dunedin Street.

GAS RANGES, ALMOST NEW, ALL enamel ... Bargain. 807 Fort.

40X MISCELLANEOUS

A SHELTON THERMIQUE TABLE model machine with accessories ... pedestal type ... G 1190.

AN OPPORTUNITY ELECTRIC WASHer ... complete with wringer. Excellent shape. A. F. Taylor & Co., 8.. Fort.

ALL MAKES OF VACUUM CLEANERS cleaned and repaired. Taylor & Co., Fort Street.

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A ... OIL BURNER WATER HEATER, $15 ...

BABY CARRIAGE [illegible] - BRING your babies in on the bus or street car and rent one of ours ... for shopping, 25c for half day. [illegible], 1324 Broad Street, opposite Colonist. Phone E 4...

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COMPLETE ACETYLENE WELDING outfit ... Government.

40 FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

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FOUR-FIFTHS OF YOUR HOME IS wallspace. We have hundreds of beautifully designed wallpapers that will enhance that portion of your home.

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FIELD GLASSES, $8.75; WATCHES, $1.50 (no extras); telescopes, 80c; reading glasses, 75c; flashlight cells, 10c; crystal sets, $1.75; spectacles to suit any sight, $3.75. Aaronson's Cut Rate Store, 1320 Government Street.

FOR SALE — FIRST CLASS ENGLISH saddle. Can be seen No. 5 Barn, the Willows.

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FOR SALE, BLUE FOLDING BABY buggy, used kitchen linoleum. $2.50. G 4380.

FOR SALE, TWO SINGLE MATTRESSES, good condition. Also Underwood typewriter. G 5769.

FREE—GOOD CLAY FILL, NEAR IN. Phone G 4481.

FOR SALE, 10-20 CLETRAC, GOOD order, $475 cash. Box 8652 Colonist.

FOR SALE—LADY'S RIDING BOOTS, size 6½. Good condition. Phone G 7686.

FOR VENETIAN BLINDS AND SUPPLIES, Pacific Venetian Blind Co., 1112 Port.

FOR SALE, CHILD'S SIDEWALK BIKE, nearly new. ...

FOR SALE, PAPER CURLING HEATER. Box 8805 Colonist.

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TWO STUDEBAKER ENGINES OR parts ...

TENT 8 X ... X ..., $10; FRUIT JARS, 40c dozen; Dining-room table, $5. E 1...

TWO TONED IVORY INCINERATOR ... range ... $2.50. Glasgow ...

WALNUT DESK, GAS RUUD HEATER ... window ... about four foot by ... E 2730.

WANTED FISHING REEL, 4 INCH OR larger, wood preferred ... Reading ...

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5 FT. 6 IN. ENAMEL STAND BATH, NEW condition, complete with taps, waste and drain pipes. $35. Phone E 6466.

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$3 MONTH RENTS, $5 MONTH BUYS a brand new typewriter, standard keyboard. Remington-Rand Ltd., 619 Broughton Street. Garden 8011.

41 WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

A REPUTATION FOR PAYING HIGHEST prices for rags, bottles, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything you want to dispose of. We call anywhere any time. E 3023.

AIR-COOLED GAS ENGINE, 2½ TO 5 h.p., suitable for boat, saw, etc., lady's bicycle. Box 8110 Colonist.

A B.C. ELECTRIC CO. WANTS SMALL radios, refrigerators, washers, irons, vacuum cleaners. Best prices. G 5112.

ALL YOUR OLD FURNITURE, TOOLS, radios, bottles, rags and useful things. Good prices paid. E 0150. E 2343. We call.

ALL CASH FOR SEWING MACHINES—What have you? Phone B 4568.

BOOKS BOUGHT FOR CASH AT Munro's, 1118 Government. [illegible]

CASH FOR USED [illegible] INSTRUments and radios, numbering machines, office staplers, adding machines, etc. Diggon's, 12.. Government.

CASH FOR YOUR CAMERA, MOST sizes except postcard. Film pack or roll film type. Hudson's Bay Company camera department.

CAMERA LENSES FOR ... FOCAL ... approximately 8-inch, 10-inch ... Box 8804 Colonist.

GOLD WALL [illegible] E 3206.

CASH FOR TABLE MODEL RADIOS. We call. G 4722.

GRASS BORDER TRIMMING SHEARS ... Phone [illegible].

IF YOU WISH TO DISPOSE OF YOUR furniture, etc., antique or modern, consult us. We either buy outright or sell for you. Fred Smith & Co., Auctioneers. G 6013.

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TABLE, MANTEL MODEL RADIOS, ALL makes. Best prices paid. G 5112.

WANTED ... AND everything in good repair to furnish seaside cottage which has been loaned to ... for the duration. For further particulars, ring E 1034 or Y.M.C.A. ... Sidney, 120.

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A Mart for Busy Readers—Property for Sale or Trade

41 WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS
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WE BUY GOOD-QUALITY FURNITURE, china and silver. Century Arts Shop, corner Government and Yates.

WANTED — 8 MM MOVIE CAMERA. Must have good lens. Box 8785, Colonist.

WANTED BALL-BEARING TRICYCLE, in good condition. For four-year-old. B 7233.

WANTED ELECTRIC WASHER, HEAT

WANTED USED FURNITURE, RADIOS, garden tools, etc. Holland Bros., 781 Fort. E 6013.

WANTED 6 OR 8 FOOT GLASS SHOW case, sliding front preferred. Phone E 2424, G 3867 or E 5423.

WANTED — ELECTRIC WASHING MACHINE (late model). Phone G 2017.

WANTED BIRD CAGE IN GOOD CONDITION. Phone G 2070.

WANTED TO BUY LARGE ENGLISH (Stoke) grate in good condition. K 2624.

WANTED — SWEDISH BUCKSAW. Phone Beacon 2327.

WANTED THREE NOT WATER RADIators. G 2750.

WANTED—120 TO 160-GALLON HOT water tank. Phone G 2750.

WANTED 10-20 CATERPILLAR, GOOD working order. Box 6809, Colonist.

WANTED — CHILD'S TRICYCLE FOR cash. Phone G 6505.

WANTED—BEE CULTURE FOR HOME-made wines. Phone K 0644.

WANTED LAWN MOWER, GOOD CONDITION. B 2716.

WANTED — SMALL MARQUEE FOR cash. Box 6482, Colonist.

WANTED LIGHT GARDEN TRACTOR. Phone G 7506.

WANTED — DRAGSAW, POWER SAW or buzz saw. Box 8067, Colonist.

WANTED—TO BUY USED PIANO FOR cash. G 7148.

6½ TO 6-H.P. AIR COOLED MOTOR of Lady's bicycle. E 8130.

1200 ITEMS—1200 BLOCK, DIGGON'S

42 POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

42A POULTRY AND SUPPLIES

BARNEVELDER HATCHING EGGS. Phone G 4281.

BARRED ROCK ROOSTERS, THREE months old—75c each. E 1909.

BROODY HENS FOR SALE. PHONE Albion 5896.

GOLDEN PHEASANT STOCK EGGS. Mrs. Brydon, Glanford Avenue.

HAMPSHIRE HATCHING EGGS FROM 11 breed tested two-year hens, $1.50 dozen. Sydney Pickles, Saanichton. Keating 18M.

KAKI-CAMPBELL DUCKS WANTED, or setting of eggs also rural mail box. Box 8782, Colonist.

NEW HAMPSHIRE DAY OLD CHICKS. Due May 14, 516 per 100, delivered Hatching eggs, 27 per 100. Maber Hatchery, 470.

NEW HAMPSHIRE COCKEREL CHICKS, three weeks old, 30c each or $28 per hundred. Phone E 5002.

R.I.R. HATCHING EGGS BIRED BY Jack Brown's best Cockerels; chicks now in order. Hoole Oldfield Road, Colquitz 287.

TWENTY-FOUR RHODE ISLAND RED hens and pullets in full lay. P 7904.

68 PULLETS, ROCKS AND LEGHORNS, in full lay, $1.85 to $2.25 each. 3197 Beechwood. E 3031.

60 NEW HAMPSHIRE 4½ MONTHS old pullets, 16 Plymouth Rocks 8 months. Apply 702 Ralph Street, before 3.30 p.m.

43 HORSES

FOR SALE THOROUGHBRED BROOD mare. Young and reasonably well bred. App. J. A. Stewart, Admiral's Road, or Fraser.

FOR SALE GOOD WORK HORSE. S. Robbins, Doncs and Hunt Roads. Phone Keating 97.

WANTED — TEAM HORSES, 1,600-2,000 each, with harness for bush work. Full particulars. Box 8653, Colonist.

44 CATTLE

FOR SALE JERSEY COW, MILKING. Also Jersey heifer, half six weeks old. Old Esquimalt Road.

SELL OR TRADE FOR BEEF YOUNG Jersey milking heifer, with Jersey in calf with R. Smith, Cloverdale Road, Craigflower P.O.

45 SHEEP

WANTED—SHEEP SHEARER FOR 300 or 400. Apply M. M. Tavora, Ardmore Farm, Sidney. Phone 307.

46 DOGS

DOGS STRIPPED AND TRIMMED—Homes visited. G 3360.

GOLD MEDAL DOG BISCUITS. THE Vitamin fortified food for dogs, on sale at all good grocery and the PET SHOP. Your dog is a sure choose Gold Medal Dog Biscuits first.

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DECKINGER PUPPY MALE, BLACK mask. Five weeks old. G 6218.

THOROUGHBRED SAMOYED PUP. House broken, mash fed. G 1279.

YOUNG DOG WANTED, PREFERABLY good Irish terrier, others or short haired Scotch collie or Airedale. Box 8781, Colonist.

47A CATS

FOR DISPOSAL—TWO HALF PERSIAN kittens, black and tabby. Phone E 5002.

48A CANARIES

YOUNG SINGING ROLLER CANARY, male, also hen. Two summer new cages, one with stand. Five pounds best seed. One breeding cage, $18 complete. Phone G 1180.

49A MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—MASSEY-HARRIS TEN-RUN seed drill, mowing machine and hay rake. Longland, Granville Avenue, off Burnside Road.

GRAVELY GARDEN TRACTOR FOR sale in good condition. Keating 78X.

BLOWERS AND FANNING MILLS—Ford motor. Phone Keating 13M.

44 HOTELS

BEVERLY HOTEL
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AVAILABLE NOW—NICELY FURNISHED rooms with or without private bath, also completely furnished housekeeping rooms. Moderate rates.

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47 ROOM AND BOARD

ACCOMMODATION FOR THREE SERVicemen in private home, close transportation. G 2245.

ACCOMMODATION IN LARGE MODERN residence. Beautiful view overlooking Water, Lampson Street. E 6299.

BOARD AND ROOM — NEAR LAKES, golf links, etc. Reservations now for holidays. Deane-Freeman, Three Pine Ranch, Sandford, Belmont 447.

BOARD AND ROOM IN PRIVATE HOME for two working men. E 1984.

CAN TAKE FIVE SINGLE WORKING men for board and room, non-drinkers only. 642 John.

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DESIRABLE, SPECIAL TERMS NAVAL or military officers, attractive bedsitting-room, open fireplace, veranda. Reference given. E 8901.

LARGE ROOM, GOOD BOARD. QUIET young man share close in. G 3156.

OAK BAY, SEAFRONT, BAYVIEW (Quiet House, good accommodation and meals. Reasonable rates. E 4101.

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47 ROOM AND BOARD
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ROOM AND BOARD, LAKE HILL DISTRICT, near bus. Suit middle-age or elderly person. B 8 RR 3.

ROOM AND BOARD FOR YOUNG MAN willing to share. Single beds. Reasonable. G 6004.

ROOM AND BOARD FOR MAN IN PRIVATE home. Close to transportation. Garage. G 2180.

ROOM AND BOARD EXCEPTIONALLY attractive private home, close in. Men only. G 2484.

ROOM AND BOARD FOR WORKING girl. One block from R.J. Hospital. B 1082.

ROOM, BOARD OPTIONAL. ONE OR two willing to share. Quiet home. Servicemen preferred. B 1187.

ROOM AND BOARD SERVICE MAN willing to share. Beautiful. B 3333.

THE PRIORY GUEST HOUSE FOR elderly people (the old James Bay Hotel), 270 Government Street. A lovely spot for those who appreciate a quiet comfortable home. Nursing care when needed. Beacon 2733.

48 ROOM AND BOARD WANTED

BUSINESS GIRL WANTS ROOM WITH board. Walking distance to town preferred. Phone P 7844, evenings.

ELDERLY PROFESSIONAL GENTLEMAN (Army), and his dog desire room and board. Esquimalt or vicinity. Box 8787, Colonist.

GENTLEMAN WANTS ROOM WITH board. Fairfield or Oak Bay preferred. Box 8632, Colonist.

ROOM AND BOARD FOR ELDERLY lady in quiet home. Burnside District. E 8814.

WORKING MOTHER WANTS BOARD and room for self and two baby girls, also care of babies. Will pay $80 per month. Box 8887, Colonist.

49 ROOMS TO RENT

49A FURNISHED

BRIGHT FURNISHED BEDROOM FOR working girl, with kitchen privileges. G 4707.

CHEERFUL SINGLE BEDROOM FACING park, suit gentleman, $12 per month. Breakfast if desired. B 3644.

COMFORTABLE FURNISHED SLEEPING room, walking distance. 1016 Hillside Street, upstairs.

FURNISHED ROOM, CENTRAL. SUIT one or two persons. Box 8622, Colonist.

FURNISHED ROOM, VICTORIA WEST. Phone G 1090.

FURNISHED BEDROOM IN PRIVATE home. Fairfield. Adults only. G 3025.

RED SITTING ROOM FOR TWO MEN. Close in. 331 Fernwood.

NICE ROOM FOR LADY. QUIET HOME, with a distance walk to street car. $18 per month. E 8855.

ONE OR TWO PERSONS. CLOSE IN. P 8164.

PLEASANT ROOM WITH LARGE PRIvate bathroom adjoining in exclusive home, central. $22 monthly. E 3164.

PLEASANT BEDROOM, OAK BAY, TWO minutes from car or bus. Box 8648, Colonist.

SINGLE OR DOUBLE ROOM—KITCHEN privilege. Close district. B 2907.

SINGLE FURNISHED ROOM, CLOSE IN. Gentleman preferred. G 7094.

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS WITH KITchen privileges, near car and bus. 1479 St. David.

TWO LARGE FURNISHED ROOMS. Bus stop close. G 1819.

3-FURNISHED ROOMS, TWIN BEDS, accommodate service men. Garage. G 6737.

49B UNFURNISHED

TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS IN PAIRfield district. No children. Box 8838, Colonist.

TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS, GROUND floor, suit one or three adults, close in. Phone E 1807.

TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS FOR rent. E 8061.

50 ROOMS WANTED

50A FURNISHED

BY VANCOUVER BUSINESS MAN IN private home for about five months. Oak Bay, Fairfield District. Phone G 7031, between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. or Box 8788, Colonist.

URGENT — TWO ROOMS FURNISHED or partly, by business woman and girl, with garage, by Saturday. References. Box 8884, Colonist.

50B UNFURNISHED

BUSINESS COUPLE DESIRE TWO

51 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

51A FURNISHED

AT 1130 FORT STREET, FURNISHED housekeeping room. Adults.

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING, TWO small children not objected to. Navy preferred. 2639 Work.

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOM, five minutes walk from town. Adults. E 2236.

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOM—Garage available. Adults. 1127 Bay Street. Apply after 5 p.m.

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOM—Suit young couple. 344 Dunedin.

FURNISHED BACHELOR ROOMS, $10 MONTH. Adults only. 1038 Hillside.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOM FOR TWO. $15. 1116 Ormond Street.

LARGE N.E. ROOM, CLOSE IN. $6 A week. G 6769.

LARGE ROOM AND KITCHENETTE. Phone P 1652. No children.

NEWLY DECORATED ONE ROOM COMbination bathroom, kitchenette and bedroom. Gas range and heater included. Separate entrance. Good home, seven-minutes walk. No children, please. 1016 Queens.

ONE LARGE FRONT HOUSEKEEPING room. Use of kitchen, bath, etc. Partly furnished. 430 William. E 8427.

SMALL HOUSEKEEPING ROOM. ONE adult only. 1145 Rockland Avenue.

302 DOUGLAS. FURNISHED DOUBLE housekeeping room, cook stove, $12 each week.

51B UNFURNISHED

FOUR ROOMS DOWNSTAIRS. GAS range light, water, one block to car. Parkside, no children. 146. Box 8630, Colonist.

TWO UNFURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms and one sleeping unfurnished. 177 and 179. E 2038. 1146 Rockland Ave.

THREE UNFURNISHED ROOMS (AS range, lights, water heat). 321. Business person. G 2240.

WANTED — ONE UNFURNISHED housekeeping, by young lady, by May 30. Phone G 8613 before 1 o'clock.

3 UNFURNISHED ROOMS, UPSTAIRS, water and light included. $20 month. Old Esquimalt.

52 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS WANTED

52A FURNISHED

LADY DESIRES HOUSEKEEPING ROOM in comfortable home. G 6184.

ROOM IN REFINED QUIET PROTESTant home, kitchen privileges, willing to share in care of home. References. Mrs. E. Stanley, 418 Vancouver, Victoria, B.C.

WANTED, FOR 3 FURNISHED LIGHT Housekeeping by elderly, quiet couple, preferably Esquimalt. Box 8888, Colonist.

WANTED — BED SITTING ROOM AND kitchenette, upper floor by 16th May, 31, near 19, furnished or part furnished. Box 8731, Colonist.

52 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS WANTED
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YOUNG BUSINESS COUPLE DESIRE housekeeping room or suite, immediately (central). Box 8783, Colonist.

52B UNFURNISHED

TWO UNFURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms. Adults. Box 8814, Colonist.

WANTED — TWO UNFURNISHED housekeeping rooms by May 13. Phone G 4501.

53 FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT

FURNISHED APARTMENT — LIGHT, telephone, for 3 months. $45 per month. E 1187.

PARTLY FURNISHED — TWO ROOMS and kitchenette. E 8954.

UNFURNISHED THREE-ROOM SUITE, bed sitting-room, fireplace, kitchen, electric stove, bathroom. Southern exposure. Heated. Large well-kept grounds. Good transportation. $42.50. Laurel Mon. 113 Gorge Road. K 2571.

VERY ATTRACTIVE SUITE — FURnished, adults, references exchanged. Box 8788, Colonist.

WANTED — GIRL TO SHARE SMALL apartment, reasonable, close in. Apply 636 Yates.

3-ROOM FURNISHED SUITE, SEPARATE entrance. Apply 840 Island Road.

54 FLATS AND APARTMENTS WANTED

A MODERN HOUSE OR APARTMENT, adults, no children. $35-$50. References. B 0352.

OFFICER'S WIFE AND BABY URgently need furnished housekeeping room or suite. Apply Box 8280, Colonist.

URGENT FOR YOUNG COUPLE — 3-room unfurnished apartment or unfurnished house. Reasonable rent. References. P 7124.

WANTED BY ONE ADULT [illegible] furnished apartment. References. Box 8[illegible], Colonist.

WANTED—FULLY-FURNISHED TWO OR three-room suite before May 31; no children. Box 8114, Colonist.

WANTED BY JUNE — FURNISHED four or five-roomed suite. References. Box 8743, Colonist.

YOUNG COUPLE REQUIRE THREE-room apartment, close to car line. Albion 41 P.

55 HOUSES TO RENT

HOUSE, THREE ROOMS, PARTLY FURnished. No bath. Adults only. Close in. Box 8849, Colonist.

55A FURNISHED

A SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE IN OAK BAY, refrigerator, fireplaces, etc., $110 a month. An elderly [illegible] $100 a month. Apply Phone G 4[illegible].

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Your Health and Your Weight

Jas. W. Barton, M.D.

FOODS NEEDED BY THE UNDERNOURISHED

Recently I spoke of an experiment on rats which were kept for twenty-seven generations on a uniform diet, showing that the rats must have been in good health to have lived their normal span (two years). Yet, by simply increasing the proportion of milk in the diet there was an improvement in the general [illegible] condition of the rats. There was more rapid and efficient growth, lower death rate, higher vitality at all ages, an increase of 10 per cent in the average life span of the adults and a greater extension of the "prime of life" that is they matured earlier and old age was delayed.

The point [illegible] that rats who were healthy could be stronger, healthier and live longer by a simple addition to the diet.

What about human beings? Can diet make any difference to the health, death rate and life span? I have spoken before of the two tribes in Africa, one of which lived mostly on meats, blood of animals, and milk and the other mostly on green vegetables and cereals. The meat-eating tribe were taller, stronger and braver.

I have also spoken before of the work of Major-General Sir Robert McCarrison, of the Indian Medical Service, and his researches into the diets of the different races there. Dr. McCarrison examined the diets of six different races and the results show how important for any race are first-class proteins (meat, fish, fowl), vitamins and minerals. The lack of [illegible] factors leads to malnutrition, weakness and underweight.

In his book, "Food and Physical Fitness," Dr. E. W. H. Cruikshank, professor of physiology, University of Aberdeen, states that lack of proteins, vitamins and minerals is more [illegible] a [illegible] to a [illegible] it is a threat to life." Nothing is more calculated to take the joy out of life than malnutrition (undernourishment) for every function of the body, every phase of existence can be hindered or harmed by lack of the amounts and kinds of necessary foods. Dr. Cruikshank admits that other factors affect the nutrition of the body, that is, lack of sleep, infection, wrong home surroundings. Hereditary influences can be removed and the hardships of surroundings better withstood by communities and races if attention be paid to the correct feeding of mothers and children.

Speaking of British diets, undernourishment is caused by a steady diet of white bread, cereals and tea to which are added potatoes and occasionally small amounts of meat of poor quality. If we substitute coffee for tea, the above diet would be the regular diet for many families in Canada.

What then are the foods in which undernourished children and adults are in most need to build them up, not so much in weight but in health and strength?

First and most important are the proteins, particularly the animal proteins, meat, eggs, fish, poultry and milk. In addition to being body builders, proteins with their juices stimulate the appetite and digestion.

Another important foodstuff lacking in the diet of most undernourished individuals is mineral salts. The mineral salts have little or no fuel value but are of "vital importance to the growth and well being of the individual." They enter largely into the formation of bone and are equally important in forming a part of the brain tissue. Foods rich in mineral salts are meats, milk and dairy products, eggs, green vegetables, cereals and fruits.

Vitamins are also important in the upbuilding diet, but making sure of some brewer's yeast and cod liver oil daily would prevent any lack of vitamins in undernourished children and adults.

FAT IS A VALUABLE FOOD

If we fully realized why Nature permits the accumulation of fat in and on the body, we would have great respect for fat tissue. In the early days of man when he had to hunt for food, he was sometimes unable to get food for hours and often days at a time. This would be because he was unable to find food or because animals larger and stronger than he prevented him from obtaining it when he did find it. This is where Nature came to his rescue by enabling him to store fat on his body to serve as food when he was unable to get food.

To show how far-seeing is Nature, fat was the tissue chosen to supply nourishment because it is the richest food available in proportion to size or amount. Fat gives twice as much heat or energy as do protein or carbohydrate tissue. It requires less storage space in the body. Fat is reserve food or fuel for the human body or human furnace.

"Fat is a reserve of fuel for the human furnace which by day and night maintains the heat and energy of the body. When the body demands more heat and uses more energy than the daily intake of food provides, then the furnace draws upon its reserve supplies."

Where is this store of fat located in the body? The largest storage depot in the body is immediately beneath the skin and may be more than an inch in thickness. Other storage depots are about the abdominal organs, the covering of the heart and the yellow bone marrow.

In his book "Obesity," Dr. W. F. Christie points out other important uses of fat in the body, including control of body temperature which prevents loss of heat in cold weather, keeping abdominal organs up in their proper position, provides cushions for the nerves and by covering the bony angles of the body makes the human figure more attractive.

I have spoken before of the great protection given those important organs, the kidneys, by fat tissue which provides "a soft resting place and protection from violence without." Although there are many cases of damaged kidneys due to blows in football, hockey and other games, or to injury from falls, the soft mass of fat in which the kidneys lie prevents damage to kidneys in the great majority of accidents.

The fact that there are these fat depots throughout the body does not mean that there is no fat in the tissues themselves. As a matter of fact, fat is found in most of the tissues and is used in the general up-keep of the body. This is called fixed fat and is always present in the same amount in the tissues whether the individual is a small or large eater. "About one-quarter of the dry weight of men who have starved to death consists of fatty acids."

An examination of the human brain, lungs, heart muscle and spleen reveals the presence of some fat, but this fat is in use in the structure of these organs. They do not contain any free or storage fat. However, the liver, which is called the "king of the organs," has both fixed fat to be used in maintaining its structure and helping in the various jobs done by the liver, but also some storage or free fat which can be called on to provide heat and energy when the body is not getting enough fat or foods to form fat from the daily food intake.

It is the knowledge that Nature provides fat storage depots that enables physicians to reduce weight in the overweights. He simply provides a diet that contains little or no fat food, provides enough carbohydrates (potatoes and bread) to give heat and energy but not enough left over to be stored as fat, and enough proteins (meat, fish, eggs) to maintain the structure of the body tissues and replace worn tissue. The balance of the food needed to give the heat and energy necessary is provided by or taken away from the fat storage places throughout the body.

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A twelve-point plan for the speedy and effective rescue of Jews threatened with massacre was endorsed by a conference of Anglo-Jewish organizations in London. Proposals include asking Axis powers to allow Jews, especially children, to leave enemy countries.

Unique Method For South Africa Overseas Voting

Soldiers Vote for Parties, Not Men

CAPETOWN (CP).—South Africa at the coming general election will make [illegible] history for this country with the new system whereby [illegible] men overseas and in South Africa must vote for parties instead of individuals.

It has been decided that in view of the diverse home addresses of men making up various units, the [illegible] system of balloting for individual candidates will be impossible.

Soldiers, sailors and airmen will be given a ballot paper containing the names of all parties and independent candidates. This will be marked with the full name, date and birthplace of the service men voting. The envelopes will then be dispatched to the central electoral bureau in Pretoria.

By means of a [illegible] index system, the votes will be endorsed with the constituency wherein the soldier was registered. After the count is taken, electoral officers in constituencies will be instructed by telegraph to add so many votes to those given for various party candidates in their constituencies.

Opposition Claims

Opposition groups have not yet managed to arrange a unifying group programme as the Afrikaner party is demanding several Nationalist seats and Oswald Pirow, Nationalist leader, is represented as "not interested in democratic government and the parliamentary system."

The Labor party is claiming six United (Government) party seats and planning a big offensive against the "dominionites" entrenched in the Durban area.

Minister of Railways F. C. Sturrock has assumed control of all motor vehicles under regulations gazetted, helped by an advisory committee of nine including controllers of rubber, petrol, oil and vehicles, representatives of railways, road transportation board, municipal passenger services, private passenger services and military forces. An executive council of three is being formed by the minister, who hopes to drastically curtail all transportation, including use of private cars.

Armed Politics

What is described as "political robbery" by an anti war organization was "the hold-up and theft of £12,000 ($54,000) by armed men in military uniforms at Johannesburg station. Two railway clerks were forced to surrender the money.

Prime Minister Smuts has promised the Assembly there will be a thorough public inquiry into alleged riots in Laingsburg, Cape Province, where as a train full of non-European (Negro) troops drew into the station a number of them, under the influence of liquor, alighted and threw stones and fruit at civilians.

In Port Elizabeth district a major step in the emancipation of natives is being tried. At a New Brighton native village the post of medical officer has been filled by the appointment of a native doctor with a salary of £360 a year, plus free housing.

Wartime trade across the South Atlantic is increasing. In the first two months of 1943 South Africa jumped into third place for exports from Argentina. Argentine imports from South Africa are nearly nine times greater than last year.

The Wolf and The Shepherds

One of Æsop's fables says a wolf passing by, saw some shepherds in a hut eating for their dinner a haunch of mutton. Approaching them he said: "What a clamor you would raise if I were to do as you are doing." Men are too apt to condemn in others the very things they practise themselves.

The Arrow And the Song

I shot an arrow into the air,
It fell to earth, I knew not where,
For, so swiftly it flew, the sight
Could not follow it in its flight.

I breathed a song into the air,
It fell to earth, I knew not where;
For who has sight so keen and strong
That it can follow the flight of song?

Long, long afterward, in an oak
I found the arrow, still unbroke;
And the song, from beginning to end,
I found again in the heart of a friend.

Henry W. Longfellow.

Finance–Commerce–Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, May 8 (AP)—The stock market finished the week on a brisk recovery note today as the heavy sellers of Friday turned buyers and bid up many favorites fractions to more than a point. There were few wider jumps.

Rails, weakest in the Friday tumble, were among the first to come back after a somewhat mixed opening. Steels, motors, farm implements, utilities and specialties were quick to follow and most closed around their highs.

The Associated Press average of sixty stocks was up .5 of a point at 50.7, retrieving all but .2 of the Friday recession. On the week the barometer showed a net gain of 1.1 points. Transfers of 1,023,610 shares were the largest for a Saturday since December 27, 1941, and compared with 843,655 a week ago. The week's aggregate was 12,915,400 shares, best since the week ending May 18, 1940.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

Thirty industrials, 138.36, up 1.09.
Twenty rails, 36.47, up .50.
Fifteen utilities, 20.11, up .21.
Total sales, 1,023,610 shares.

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK, May 8 (AP)—Quotations in cents:

Official Canadian Control Board rates for United States dollars: Buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.09, selling 9.91 per cent.

Canadian dollar in New York open market 3½ per cent discount or 90.25 United States cents.

Argentina: Official 29.77, free 23.30.
Brazil: Official 6.05, free 5.20.
Mexico—20.60.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 8 (AP)—Quotations in dollars: Official (Bankers Foreign Exchange Committee rates), buying 4.02, selling 4.04.

Montreal Stocks

Bank of Nova Scotia	256	256
Brazilian	12½	22½
B.A. Oil	20½	20½

Toronto Stocks

INDUSTRIAL SECTION

National Breweries	30	
National Steel Car	60½	60½
Ogilvie	33½	
Simpsons pfd.	36½	37
Steel of Canada	70	72
Steel of Canada, pfd.	74½	77
United Steel	5½	5½
Geo. Westons, com.	13½	14
Geo. Westons, pfd.	99	100

Averages

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Link towns in Britain's peacetime airline network have asked the Air Minister for guidance on the postwar future of local airfields taken over by the ministry.

Vancouver Stocks

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP)—Mines and oils showed light gains today on the Vancouver Stock Exchange. Trading closed at 8,400 shares.

Bralorne climbed 10 to 9.25 and Pend Oreille ... British Dominion Oil was up 1 at 28 and McDougall Ex 1 at 87-2. Pacific Petroleum and South End Petroleum each gained 1 to close at 40 and 5.

OILS	Bid	Asked
Anaconda	.04	.06
Anglo Canadian	.48	.60
A.P. Con.	.11	.12
British Dominion	.27½	
C. & E. Corpn.	1.30	1.35
Dalhousie	.20	
Pacific Pete	.40	.41

Reeves McDonald	.30	.30
Reno	.03½	.03½
Sheep Creek	.64	.75
Silbak Premier	.38	
Surf Inlet	.04	
Taylor Bridge	.30	
Whitewater	.02½	.03
Ymir Yank	.03	.03
MISCELLANEOUS		
Capital Estates	2.25	
United Distillers	2.00	

Grain Markets

WINNIPEG GRAIN

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	98⅝	98⅝	98	98⅝
July	99⅛	99½	99	99⅛
Oct.	100	100⅛	99¾	100
Rye—				
May	78½	78⅝	78⅛	78⅝
July	79⅛	79⅝	79⅛	79⅝
Oct.	81	81	80	80⅞

Cash Grain

CHICAGO GRAIN

Little Stories for Bedtime

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

HOW PETER RABBIT WAS SET FREE

At the scolds of Welcome Robin's voice, Peter Rabbit suddenly changed his mind about coming out of his hiding place in the old stone wall on the edge of the Old Orchard.

"My, what a narrow escape," said Peter to himself. "If it hadn't been for Welcome Robin I certainly would have been caught by Black Pussy. What a lucky thing for me that Welcome happened to come over here just when he did. I guess I owe my life to Welcome and I'll never never forget it. I wonder how much longer that dreadful cat is going to keep me a prisoner here. Hello! What is going on out there now, I wonder?"

"Probably It Is Chatterer the Red Squirrel or Striped Chipmunk," Thought He

What was going on was just this: Welcome Robin was scolding Black Pussy at the top of his lungs. Other little people in the Old Orchard heard him and hurried over to see what he was making such a fuss about. As soon as they saw Black Pussy they added their voices to the racket. Sammy Jay, Drummer the Woodpecker, Clacker the Crackle, Bully the English Sparrow, Tommy Tit the Chickadee and even gentle Winsome Bluebird did his best to tell Black Pussy what he thought of her. They even darted down very close to Black Pussy and made dreadful threats of picking her eyes out, but they took the greatest care not to get too near. Black Pussy paid not the least attention to them save that the tip of her black tail twitched angrily. All the screaming and harsh things they could say wouldn't hurt her and she knew it.

Presently Farmer Brown's boy came out of the barn. Of course he heard the racket the birds were making and, of course, he was interested right away. He long ago had learned that when a lot of birds get together and scream that way there is always a reason. For a few minutes he stood still and watched them darting down toward the ground and then back to the trees and all the time screaming as if they were trying to split their throats.

"I wonder," said Farmer Brown's boy, "if Mr. Blacksnake is over there? I think I'll have a look. I simply can't have him bothering my little feathered friends."

He walked slowly toward the place where the birds were so excited and presently he saw Black Pussy. "So it's you, is it, Pussy?" said he. "You really ought to know better than to scare my friends so. I am afraid I shall have to punish you if you don't keep away from the Old Orchard."

Then he saw that Black Pussy wasn't paying the least bit of attention to the birds but was keeping her eyes fastened on an opening in the old stone wall. He knew right away that that meant that there was someone in there, and that she was waiting for him to come out.

"Probably it is Chatterer the Red Squirrel or Striped Chipmunk," thought he. "In either case, it won't do to let Black Pussy catch them."

So he walked over to Black Pussy and picked her up. He scolded her as he took her over to the dooryard. Then he put her down and cried "Scat!" Black Pussy ran a little way and then sat down to watch Farmer Brown's boy. He went back to the old stone wall and peeped in at the opening between the stones, but it was dark inside and he couldn't see anyone. Then he lifted off one of the big stones and this let the light in. There crouched Peter Rabbit!

"Hello, you little brown scamp!" exclaimed Farmer Brown's boy in surprise. "What are you doing up here in the Old Orchard I'd like to know? Don't you know that if you go where you have no business you are bound to get into trouble sooner or later? I guess it's a lucky thing for you that I came over here to find out what was going on."

He reached in and very gently picked Peter up. Peter kicked a little, but Farmer Brown's boy held him firmly and Peter found that it was of no use to struggle. Farmer Brown's boy smoothed Peter's coat with one hand and there was something in that touch that seemed to remove all fear from Peter. He didn't know what would happen to him next, but somehow he felt sure that it would be nothing bad. Farmer Brown's boy carried him across the Old Orchard to the edge of the Green Meadows. Then he headed him toward the dear Old Briar Patch and put him down. "Now run along home, you scamp, and tell Mrs. Peter all about your wonderful adventures," said he.

And Peter did. He ran lipperty-lipperty-lip as fast as ever he could, and Farmer Brown's boy laughed to see him go.

Next story: "Peter Tries Again."

(Released by The Associated Newspapers)

Holiday on Farms

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP)—Major-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, general officer commanding-in-chief, Pacific Command, today issued a statement calling on civilians to take their vacations working on farms.

"There are no holidays for the men on the fighting fronts, but you can make your civilian furloughs count on their behalf," he said. "You can make a pitchfork as effective as a bayonet."

That Body of Yours

By JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

SYMPTOMS AND SIGNS OF FOOD DEFICIENCY

In Great Britain the Ministry of Health proudly states that because of the rationing of foods the British women are now more shapely, have better figures. This is because they are eating more of the foods that give energy and less of the foods that cause storage of fat in and on the body.

In the United States, as in all countries today, special research work on foods and nutrition is being done in various localities.

In order that the general public and physicians also may recognize early the symptoms and signs of insufficient or wrong diet the ... Research Council makes known some of its findings in The Journal of the American Medical Association.

Symptoms of food deficiency (insufficient in amount or kind) are: 1. Lack of appetite. 2. "Tiredness all the time." 3. Loss of weight. 4. Lack of mental application. 5. Loss of strength. 6. History of sore mouth and tongue. 7. Chronic diarrhea. 8. Nervousness and irritability. 9. Burning, prickling and loss of feeling in parts of the skin. 10. Night blindness. 11. Fear of light. 12. Burning or itching of eyes. 13. A great flow of tears from eyes. 14. Pains in muscles and joints. 15. Sore bleeding gums. 16. Bleed easily.

Among the signs of early deficiency in nutrition are: 1. Blackheads or plugs of thickened oil about the nose and lips. 2. Sores at corners of mouth. 3. Sore gums. 4. Changes in color and texture of ... 5. Cold sores and cankers. 6. Spongy bleeding gums. 7. Tenderness of muscles. 8. Black spots on skin (purpura). 9. Inflammation of the skin in special parts—face, neck and groin. 10. Thickening of the skin over bony parts. 11. "Beaded" chest (little lumps like beads where ribs meet the chest bone in front). 12. Thin blood which is not enriched by the use of iron. 13. Bloodshot eyes. 14. Inflammation of eyelids.

Now it is possible to have a number of these symptoms and signs and not be suffering from food deficiency but where any of them are present it would be well to consult the family physician and outline your "usual" daily and weekly diet.

As mentioned before, most of us could keep free of deficiency symptoms by using more dairy products and one raw vegetable daily.

He wanted to join the army but the medical officer grimaced when he discovered that the would-be soldier's hearing was far from perfect.

"But surely good eyesight is more important," replied the young man, "and mine is fine!"

The doctor switched on the radio set and a man's voice came through.

"What is that fellow talking about?" asked the doctor wishing to test the applicant's hearing again.

"Oh, er, I can't just hear him," replied the young fellow, "but he's wearing a dark grey suit!"

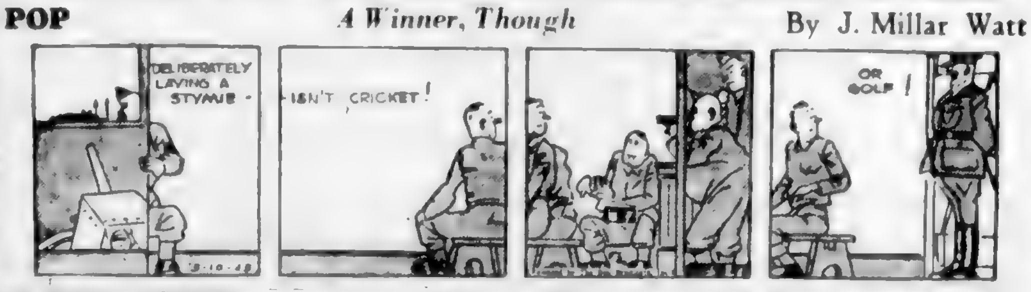
SUPERMAN *Problems* By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY By Dale Allen

POPEYE

MUTT AND JEFF *Didn't Have a Seventeen Coupon* By Bud Fisher

POP *A Winner, Though* By J. Millar Watt



FLYIN' JENNY *Cupid Goes to War* By Keaton and Chaffin

THE NEBBS *A Healthy Appetite* By HESS

QUICKIES

"I have a notion to sell 'em for pets with a Colonist Want Ad!"

LIFE'S LIKE THAT By Fred Neher

"What'll we do . . . they say no one can pass."

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Still [illegible] There was the [illegible] when she first reached up and grasped your finger in her chubby little fist. Remember what a thrill that gave you? . . . And when she ventured her first steps . . . [illegible] held out her arms [illegible] be rescued if she should falter . . . Yes, your [illegible] of others across Canada and other parts of the free world have the inherent right to a future of happiness and opportunity.

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Hedlunds Champions

Beat Winnipeg In Cage Series

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP).—Vancouver Hedlunds successfully defended their Canadian women's [illegible] here tonight by defeating Winnipeg Altomahs 41-29. Vancouver took the [illegible] series in three straight games, the first 38-17, and the second 29-24.

The Winnipeg team showed considerable improvement in form over its display in the first two games, but were no match for the more experienced Hedlund girls.

The British Columbia champions got into the scoring column a few minutes after the game started and held the lead throughout. At the end of the first quarter they led, 15-4. At half time the margin for Vancouver was 25-10, and at the end of the third quarter, 34-20.

Joan MacArthur paced Hedlunds for the second successive night, while Dorothy Brook was outstanding for Winnipeg, scoring a total of ten points, the highest by any Winnipeg player during the series.

Other scorers were: For Hedlunds, Cathie Smith with nine, Ruth Wilson with seven, and Faye Burnham and Kaye MacRitchie with five each. For Winnipeg, Peggy Flower with six and Mattie Krescy and Nellie Jones four each.

The line-ups:

Vancouver Hedlunds: Burnham 5, Crowley 0, Harris 2, MacArthur 10, Parasis 3, Smith 9, Wilson 7, MacRitchie 5. Total 41.

Winnipeg Altomahs: Flower 6, Campbell 3, Krescy 4, Wallins 2, Duncan 0, Brook 10, Jones 4, Harwood 0. Total 29.

BOX SCORE

Vancouver

Hedlunds	FG	FS	P	Pts.
Rita Parasis	1	1	2	3
Norma Harris	1	0	1	2
Faye Burnham	2	1	2	5
Vera Crowley	0	0	0	0
Cathie Smith	3	3	3	9
Kay MacRitchie	2	1	1	5
Ruth Wilson	2	3	2	7
Joan MacArthur	5	0	2	10
Totals	16	9	13	41

Winnipeg

Altomahs	FG	FS	P	Pts.
Peggy Flower	3	0	2	6
Etola Campbell	1	1	1	3
Mattie Krescy	1	2	0	4
Bea Wallins	1	0	2	2
Dorothy Brook	4	2	2	10
Isabell Duncan	0	0	2	0
Nellie Jones	1	2	2	4
Audrey Harwood	0	0	0	0
Totals	11	7	12	29

Claims Talking to Dice Influences Them

When the gambler rolls the dice and cries, "Come seven, come eleven!" and wishes hard for the numbers, does he have any effect on the "bones"? He thinks he does, but can't get any physicist to believe it. Dr. J. P. Rhine, of Duke University, has been making some tests which convince him that there may be more in the wishful thinking than the scientific world believes and so he speaks of the "PK" or the "psychokinetic effect."

At Duke, experiments have been conducted for nine years with subjects who tried to influence the fall of dice. The results are presented in The Journal of Parapsychology by Dr. Rhine and his wife, Dr. Louisa E. Rhine. This department is informed that twenty-four similar reports are ready for publication, with more to come.

It was a young gambler who first suggested the PK dice throwing test. Challenged to make good his claim that he could influence the throw, he did well enough to interest Dr. Rhine in a programme of research.

In the first study, "high-dice" tests alone were made. That is, the subject had to cause as many high combinations of eight and above to turn up as he could. In 562 runs, each consisting of twelve throws of a pair, the subjects scored 300 more high combinations than chance expectation would allow. The odds against such a result are trillions to one.

The skeptic will at once ask: Were the dice crooked? The answer is that in a three-run sequence the score averages declined so far that the third run was little better than chance. The extra hits occurred almost entirely in the first run and declined with the second.

Was the throwing tricky? Machines were used for the best runs.

Dr. Rhines himself warns against too hasty a decision of PK's existence and insists on more tests by others. If it turns out that there is a PK effect, gambling ought to be less attractive than it is. Who wants to throw dice with a man who can influence the score?

Balloons at Large

SAN FRANCISCO, May 8 (AP).—One barrage balloon was damaged, two others broke away and several more were deflated in the San Francisco area early this morning, the Western Defence Command announced today.

There were no further details except that one of the liberated balloons had been recaptured.

Mary Pickford and Buddy Adopt Child

Canadian Mary Pickford and Lieut. Charles (Buddy) Rogers Sign Papers of Adoption of a Six-Year-Old Boy, Before Judge Georgia Bullock in Los Angeles, Calif.

Versatility of Patrol Planes

WASHINGTON (UP). — Big, lumbering patrol bombers, once among the slowest planes that fly, are being developed into a night offensive weapon whose worth was drastically shown at Midway and in other Pacific battles.

At one time patrol fleets were rarely operated without fighter escort but now they operate independently, and are the aircraft which have proved their versatility most spectacularly in this war. Constantly improved as a result of their operation on every ocean, they have effected rescues under most adverse conditions and have sunk dozens of submarines.

The renaissance in patrol bomber operation has resulted in their use on projects for which it was long thought they were not fitted. Improvement in design has kept pace with their wider utility, until now there is almost no land or sea operation on which they can not be used.

Bombardiers are enthusiastic about the ease with which patrol planes glide toward Japanese surface targets often from great heights and with the necessary speed for successful torpedoing.

Patrol planes are multi-engined craft weighing from 30,000 to 140,000 pounds. They usually are smaller than bombers and almost without exceptions have two engines of from 1,000 to 2,000 h.p.

Speed is more important with this ship than its ability to operate at high altitudes. It must also be adequately protected, have power-operated gun turrets, armor and self-sealing fuel cells.

One daring rescue made in a patrol plane on the Greenland ice cap by Lieut. A. Y. Parunak, who flew out the thirteen-man crew of a Flying Fortress that had crashed, illustrates the versatility of this craft. Observing that a "dimple" on the ice cap was filling with water from the icy slopes that cupped it, Lieut. Parunak landed when the lake was less than two miles in length, barely long enough for the plane to take off at that 4,200-foot altitude. The day after the rescue the lake had disappeared.

Bring Back the Sun

This evening, just at suppertime,
Some clouds came rolling high
And blotted, with cumulus grandeur,
The sun from out the sky.

Joan gazed with frank disapproval
At what the clouds had done,
And asked me if it were my wish
That she bring back the sun.

I was puzzled, so I asked her
How on earth she thought that she
Could do this, and she answered,
"Why, I'd climb our cherry tree.

"I'd get a great long stick, you know,
The longest I could see,
And push those clouds right out of sight
From the top of the cherry tree.

"I'd push them down behind those trees
We see out over there
And then the sun could shine again
He'd be all clean and bare."

—Virginia Goddard Kelly

Radio Officer W. H. Hancock of Llanelly, Wales, still lived to tell his story after being torpedoed twice in three days and spending twenty-eight days in an open boat before being picked up and landed on the West African coast.

Thinks U.S. Will Be Bone-Dry

WESTERVILLE, Ohio, May 8 (AP).—America will be bone-dry again by 1950, Dr. Howard H. Russell, eighty-seven, phophesied today on the eve of the fiftieth anniversary of the Anti-Saloon League he founded after swearing off hard drink.

The pendulum of public sentiment [illegible] toward prohibition after ten years of repeal. "And it won't be stopped."

[illegible] Dr. Russell added, is spearheading the drive toward prohibition. It is spreading, he said, from county to county across the nation and is drying up precincts in cities.

"People are aroused," the militant dry declared. "The churches are speaking out. They are weary of women in bars, many with their children. They are weary of liquor in military camps. This country will be dry by 1950—and I will live to see it."

Dr. Russell will go to Washington next week to attend the league's golden jubilee May 15-17 and sit at the desk maintained for him in national headquarters. He headed the league actively until 1903.

TOJO RETURNS

NEW YORK, May 8 (AP).—A Tokio broadcast reporting the return of Premier Hideki Tojo to Japan from his visit to the Philippines indicated tonight that the Japanese still have not entirely subdued the islands. The broadcast, recorded by the Federal Communications Commission quoted Tojo as saying that Japanese forces there are engaged in "military operations as well as in the establishment of peace and order."

Officer: "Now men, [illegible] or will you not?"
Men: "We will."
Officer: "Will what?"
Men: "Will not."
Officer: "Ah, my brave men, I knew you would!"

Believe Governor Not to Be Called

SEATTLE, May 8 (AP).—Despite Governor Langlie's eligibility for a navy service call as a junior reserve officer, informed circles here and at Olympia feel certain that he will not be called during his present term of office, The Post-Intelligencer said tonight.

The paper continued:

"Although the governor has made no comment on the subject, he has [illegible] his term. He is known to be quite willing to enter active service whenever the 13th Naval District is [illegible] if the navy prefers, in his present office. And it is reliably reported that the district has already indicated a strong preference that he continue as governor."

Pearkes Urges All to Action

VERNON, B.C., May 8 (CP).—"The biggest crime in the army today is to do nothing," Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, general officer commanding-in-chief, Pacific Command, told 800 officers and men of the Canadian Officers' Training Corps, University of British Columbia, during an inspection yesterday.

"Get the spirit of the Eighth Army—let that be your goal," he urged the students who are in training for two weeks here. Various phases of the training programme were inspected by the general.

FIREMAN HURT

NANAIMO, May 8.—Fireman Hugh Morrow required hospital treatment this evening after having been struck by a falling timber during a fire which destroyed an old landmark of Nanaimo. He suffered facial cuts.

An old building which sixty years ago was a modern stable housing the delivery horses and wagons of the Hirst Grocery Stores, was destroyed by the blaze. It was at the rear of the J. C. Dakin Store, Commercial Street.

Anglers to Stage Derby in July

The directors of the Victoria-Saanich Inlet Anglers' Association met in the office of the president, Hubert Lethaby, and appointed working committees for the coming year. Lee Hallberg was nominated director of publicity and entertainment.

A lengthy discussion was held on [illegible] rowboat "Young Derby" to be [illegible] early in July. This will prove something new to the members who [illegible] always used their [illegible] by [illegible] true sportsmen [illegible] with the oil controller's edict which prohibits the use of [illegible] in fishing Derby [illegible] tions.

Alex. Provan, Chuck [illegible] Kinlock and Dr. Grant were named as a committee to start the rowboat Derby on its way.

Ex-President Ray Ritchie, Tommy Ward and Captain [illegible] were appointed to investigate the condition of the club's floats at McKenzie and Quarrie Bays.

Chuck Kinlock, Doc Smith and Albert Ledson were appointed to fill the role of tackle committee for the coming year and will appoint official weighers so that members may still garner their club buttons if they can catch a button fish.

"Nosey" Poses

Perky little pussy cat,
Nose up in the air
Feline Cleopatra
With a naive baby stare!

What do you see coming up—
A big blue bowl of cream
To make that lovely coat of yours
Like silk and satin gleam?

Just a bit of fluff and fur
Adorable wee scamp!
There's not a cat-lover in the world
Your big orbs couldn't vamp!

—Cora May Preble

Honors for Brides-Elect

Honoring two of their fellow-workers, Miss Gerry Kent and Miss Elise Gave of Kettle Valley, both brides-elect, the girls of the Public Works Department, Provincial Government, entertained at the tea hour yesterday afternoon at a linen shower held in Spencer's tea room. Corsage bouquets of red and white carnations were presented to the guests of honor upon their arrival and later they received towels wrapped in white tissue paper and tied with satin ribbon. Miss Amy Wills and Miss Edith Laidman presided at the tea table which was centred with an artistic arrangement of white Spring flowers in a low bowl. Those present were Misses Vera Carter, Marjorie Brown, Evelyn Eley, Betty Prangnell, Doris Holmes, Hope Shepherd, Flora McDonald, Audrey Hickling, Margaret Mossey, Dorothy Sluggett, May Lewis, Gladys Perry, Ronnie Neary, Freda Carter, Amy Wills, Marjorie Laidlaw, Daphne Murray, Edith Laidman and Marion Dey.

This afternoon Mrs. G. Aitken and Mrs. D. Gilmer are entertaining at the Empress Hotel at a party complimenting Miss Lilian Stokes, a popular bride-elect. Pretty gifts will be presented in a drum decorated in patriotic colors. Corsage bouquets of fragrant flowers will be given to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. H. Thirlwall, and Mrs. John Milton, mother of the groom-elect. Mrs. Thirlwall will preside at the tea table. Invitations have been extended to Mrs. W. H. A. Preece, Mrs. H. Francis, Mrs. H. Curry, Mrs. J. Grimmond, Mrs. C. W. Paulin, Mrs. H. Smedley, Mrs. E. H. Rennie, Mrs. M. Hogge, Mrs. H. Whitworth, Mrs. R. Holtum, Mrs. D. D. Carley and the Misses Audrey Hall, Jean Milton, Gladys Rennie, Bernice Hall and Verna Beck.

In honor of Miss Doreen Calvert, a bride of this month, Miss Ina Robertson was hostess at her home on Lee Avenue. The guest of honor and her mother, Mrs. H. Calvert, received corsage bouquets of red and pink carnations. The gifts were presented to the bride-elect in a model ship in compliment to the groom-elect and drawn into the room by the Misses Phyllis Calvert and Nettie Robertson. Games were played, winners being Mrs. G. Smith, Doreen Calvert, Phyllis Calvert, Joan Stewart and Mrs. J. Smith. Refreshments were served from a table covered by a hand-embroidered cloth. Other guests included Mrs. J. Harper, Mrs. P. Macdonald, Mrs. B. Giles, Mrs. G. Smith, Mrs. F. Doves, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. R. Calvert, Mrs. A. M. Robert and Miss Stella Harper.

Mervyn Dutton Given Big Post

MONTREAL, May 8 (CP).—Appointment of Mervyn (Red) Dutton as managing director of the National Hockey League was announced here today following conclusion of the league's two-day annual meeting.

Mr. Dutton, former manager of the Brooklyn Americans, had been acting president of the league since the death several months ago of Frank Calder, who led the circuit for a quarter-century.

The announcement made no mention of a new president and it was learned that the league would be operated for the next year, at least—perhaps for the duration—by Mr. Dutton and the two-man executive appointed after Mr. Calder's death. The members are Lester Patrick, of New York Rangers and Maj. E. W. Bickle, of Toronto Maple Leafs.

There were two changes in the six-man board of governors. Senator Donat Raymond, of Montreal Canadiens, succeeded L. Peto, of Montreal, while Art Ross, of Boston Bruins, replaced R. F. Duncan, Boston.

The balance of the board remained unchanged as follows: James Norris, Detroit Red Wings; Maj. Bickle, Toronto Maple Leafs; Mr. Patrick, New York Rangers, and W. J. Tobin, Chicago Black Hawks.

HOMES BURNED

TRENTON, N.J., May 8 (AP).—At least twenty-one homes and summer bungalows and several smaller buildings at Point Pleasant Borough were destroyed today in a three-hour forest fire and Mayor Harry Roe said the damage would run as high as $100,000.

The fire at Point Pleasant was one of four which swept across Central New Jersey today. Three of them, all in the shore area, were brought under control this evening, but a fourth, at Jamesburg, continued unchecked.

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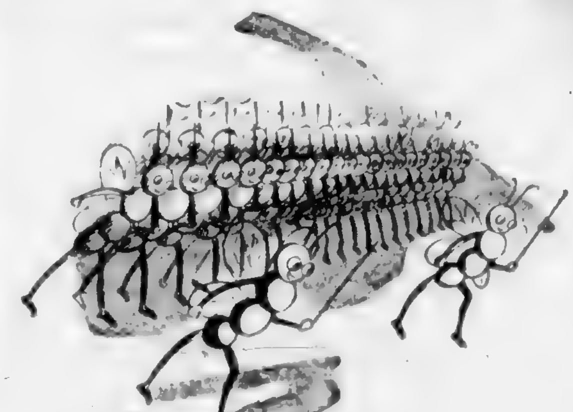

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They're on the March!

A whole army of moths may invade your [illegible] and attack your furs [illegible] don't take precautions now! You need go no further than our cold storage vault, whose frigid temperature will safeguard your furs and furred coats until you want them again. You've triple protection when you bring your coat to us . . . only 3% of your own valuation (minimum charge, $1.50).

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And	$1.00
Khaki Shirts, sizes 14 to 17, collar attached	$2.00 and $2.75
Khaki Ties	50¢ and $1.00
Khaki Braces	$1.00
Wind and Showerproof Sleeveless Jackets, sizes 36 to 44	$7.95
Khaki Handkerchiefs, each	25¢
And	3 for $1.00
Khaki Wedge Caps	$4.50
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VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, SUNDAY, MAY 9, 1943

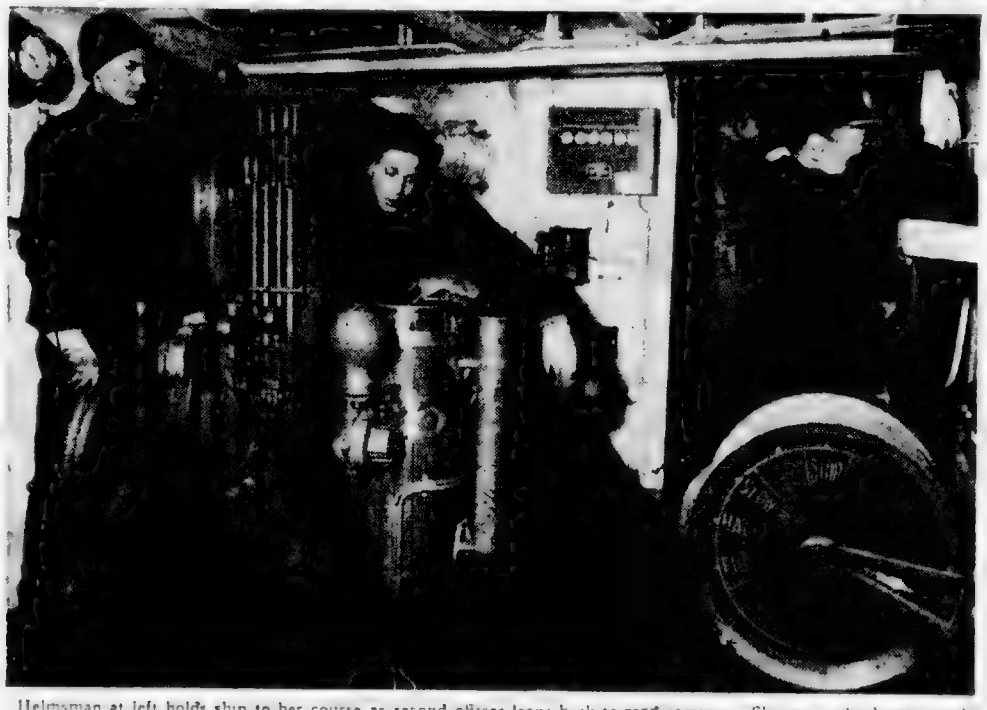
Canada's Merchant Marine Stout Link in Perilous Atlantic Life Line

Captain L. H. Johnson, Vancouver, merchant ship skipper.

Able Seaman Roy Hopper, 21, of Saskatoon, is a member of the R.C.N.V.R. assigned to defensive gun duties aboard one of Canada's merchant ships, built at yards at Levis, Quebec. She sailed across Atlantic laden with cargo of "sixty-odd dynamite."

Beside deck gun on a Canadian merchant ship a sailor keeps watch for signs of enemy submarines. Astern is a Canadian corvette sweeping the seas around the convoy, crew, guns and depth charges ready for instant action to protect ships.

Able Seaman John McLeish at 58 a veteran of two wars.

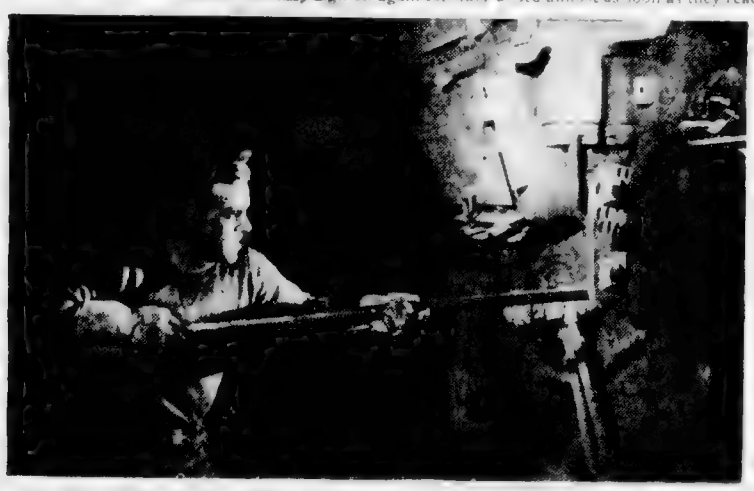


Helmsman at left holds ship to her course as second officer leans back to read compass. Skipper, right, keeps watch with glasses for signs of enemy action. Among crew sailing on the ship were men who had been torpedoed once, some twice. Yet they sign on again for duty at sea almost as soon as they reach shore.

The Bos'un keeps sharp eye on Jasper, the ship's cat. Last time she skipped a ship it was sunk immediately after. The Bos'un has already been torpedoed twice.

"Mister" Oliver, the chief officer, checks a compass.

Pat McHenry, 19, of Scotland, chief radio operator. These are men of Canada's growing merchant marine. Victories to them mean successful convoy crossings.



Far below decks in the stokehold the black gang keeps steam up. Ship is a coal burner, and finds trained stokers are becoming scarce because of inroads made in modern shipping by automatic oil firing. Contrary to belief hold war and

Radio Operator Art Sim of Toronto braces himself against the roll of the ship as he receives a message. At sea convoy run into cold weather and temperature dropped to twenty below. Distilled sea water took place of ship's frozen supply.

"Mug up time" means cup of hot tea and a joke for three of the ship's officers. Warming his hands, right, is Chief Engineer T. Atkinson, London, Eng. Centre is Asst. Radio Operator, N. McLachlan, Toronto; right, Chief Officer W. Oliver, of B.C.

At a Canadian Port a convoy gets up steam for an Atlantic crossing. Manning the ships of the Canadian Merchant Marine are sailors from across Canada. Guns on merchant ships are manned by men of R.C.N.V.R. Crews are made up of officers young as 21, seamen in their fifties, veterans, some of them, of the sailing ship days. Despite danger of an Atlantic crossing they are a cheerful lot, hard working and modest.

Because He Was Shy

By Ruth Wilkinson Tucker

SHE sat perched on the railing of [illegible]

"I'd like you to break my heart," said Nancianna. Michael gasped. "It would be a tremendous favor," she pleaded. The man looked at her and the girl looked back. Michael Brown had come home after fourteen years to look into those brown eyes under their tangle of black lashes.

"I curl 'em," volunteered Nancianna.

"That," he denied, "is a flagrant prevarication. Your hair always curled, even when you were ten."

Nancianna had a gamin's grin. "Still too chivalrous to call a lady a liar? That dates you, Mike. My eyelashes, I mean."

"You curl your eyelashes?"

"Of course. There are lots of things you don't know yet, Michael. Even if you did win the Nobel Prize."

It was the first time he had laughed since he had entered his home town that morning and come to this ramshackle old house where he had lived as the son of the town drunkard until he had arrived at a bitter seventeen.

The house had a dilapidated, down-at-the-heels look. The color was wrong and the style was wrong and it was on the wrong side of the railroad tracks in a little southern town old enough to have railroad tracks as the dividing line between respectability and oblivion.

Way out at the other end of town was a house which, some twenty years before the Civil War, had sat proudly aloof on a hill of its own, surveying its neighbors across an expanse of rolling velvety terraces. Everything about that house was right. Nancianna had come from there.

Almost as far back as Michael could remember, there had been Nancianna. When all the "nice" children had been forbidden to play with him, Nancianna had evaded her mother to tag adoringly at Michael's heels or sit patiently in his evil-smelling basement "laboratory." And something proud and shy and aching in Michael had been comforted a little.

It had been Nancianna who mourned with him when his father died, who said good-bye to him when he left Terrytown. "I'll write," she had promised, weeping bitterly. "And when you're great and famous, you'll come back, won't you?"

"I'll never come back!" said Michael. And then hastily, "All right. Don't cry like that. I'll come back some time."

Her letters had been the only [illegible] he received during that first overworked, tortured, blissful year at Tech. But they stopped, finally.

Gradually success both at college and later, taught him to hide his shyness. But the thought of Terrytown continued to have the power to make him feel like [illegible] wrong side of the tracks.

But now he had come back. [illegible] he had called himself a fool. And then he had looked up to see Nancianna coming up the path carrying herself proudly. She smiled at him. "Hello," she said. "Welcome home."

"Hello," said Michael. "I was coming to see you this afternoon. I was trying to decide what would be the proper time to make a call in Terrytown."

She laughed. "I've told everyone you were coming. You'll have to resign yourself to being lionized. We don't get many celebrities."

"I can remember," said Michael, "when Terrytown didn't consider me a celebrity."

Nancianna stopped smiling. When she was grave, Michael thought, she was rather terribly dear. "Mother has planned a tremendous affair for you. Dinner and a dance afterward—all the trimmings. Mother," said Nancianna, "does things in a big way."

[illegible] who had felt his mouth tighten at the mention of Nancianna's mother, found himself smiling instead.

"Undoubtedly I shall be tremendously sought after, since I knew you when," said Nancianna. "What made you come back, Michael?"

"Oh, things," said Michael.

It wasn't the right answer. He had come to Terrytown because of Nancianna, because three months ago she had sent him the clipping from the Terrytown paper—"Terrytown Boy Wins Nobel Prize"—and had written him a note: "Aunt Julia and I are coming to New York next week to do some shopping. If you're not too busy, we might say hello to each other."

He had been very shy of the bewilderingly lovely young sophisticate who was Nancianna grown-up. "Tell me about you," she said eagerly.

"There isn't anything to tell," he answered.

Instantly he was sorry. Because Nancianna said, "Oh!" and talked of things that didn't matter. But later she tried again. "Why did you stay away so long, Michael? When are you coming home?"

"To Terrytown, you mean?" asked Michael. "Never, I hope."

Why had he said that? He had closed the door again.

Nancianna said carefully, "No, I [illegible] grown [illegible]."

But Nancianna had a month in New York [illegible] together [illegible]. And [illegible] Nancianna kept [illegible] back to Terrytown. She kept on saying, "Remember, Michael." Until he no longer felt shy with her. Until he discovered, with a queer little tug at his heart, [illegible] [illegible] the same [illegible]. Before long he had told her more about himself than he [illegible] anybody in fourteen years. But it was always Nancianna who had to say each night, "Good-night, Michael."

Then one night when he called for her he was [illegible] "So sorry, Michael, to break our date for tonight. But I have so many things to do . . ."

He stood [illegible] home.

She was saying [illegible] "You should [illegible] Michael."

"Yes," said Michael. "I [illegible] have come sooner."

Now, whenever he tried to remember the youngster who had tagged adoringly after him, there would keep [illegible] breathlessly lovely young [illegible] whom, her offhand way, made a man's pulses quicken. He sat on his porch and looked at her and knew that she had crept into his heart and taken the place of the ten-year-old Nancianna who had been with him so long.

She was pulling off her brown gloves. And then he saw the ring. Important looking.

"Mike—"

"Yes—" (You should have come home sooner!)

"Do me a favor?"

"Of course." (Yes, I should have come sooner.)

It was then she said, "I'd like you to break my heart."

It was good that bit of foolery about the eyelashes came just then. It steadied him so that he was able to go on quite coolly, "A broken heart, Nancianna, with a ring like that?"

"Because of the ring," she said.

He had been a fool to come back. "You'll have to draw me a map, Nancianna. You forget I'm very much out of the [illegible]."

[illegible]

"Indeed," said Michael.

"Listen," said Nancianna. A brown curl fell over one eye. "You are the sensation of the hour. They've even gone back to your childhood—how you did it all by yourself every bit of it."

"Not quite all by myself," murmured Michael Brown. "There was a professor at college."

"Absolutely all by yourself," said Nancianna firmly. "And you're a world famous chemist and almost a millionaire and—"

"Well, not quite almost a millionaire," deprecated Michael Brown. "You see, chemists aren't."

"Almost," said Nancianna. "All the women are simply mad to meet you. All the men will be jealous of you. Now if you were to be desperately, desperately in love with me—"

"Make him jealous? Old stuff, Nancianna. I thought you'd be more original."

"I am more original," said Nancianna. "If you were to throw me down hard—"

"But," said Michael succinctly.

"I would have experienced deep tragedy," she said. "I would have felt. I would have lived. You see, oh Michael, you simply must break my heart!"

"If you're through with that little bedtime story," said Michael, "let's talk about the [illegible]."

[illegible] pleaded Nancianna.

"You did once," said Michael.

There had once [illegible] in a fresh [illegible] expensive dress standing by a [illegible] bottle saying [illegible] to an angry man. Michael didn't [illegible]. I broke it by mistake.

"You must [illegible] quite a [illegible]."

"Oh, love," dismissed Nancianna.

"Why, yes, love," said Michael drily. "A quaint, old-fashioned word for the way you're supposed to feel about the man you marry."

"Oh, of course," said Nancianna. "But one falls in love [illegible] numbers of times. Now for instance there was Rupert[illegible]. He was very English. And his [illegible] were so [illegible]. All the time I was in love with Rut I couldn't just walk places. I sort of skipped along. Everything was such fun [illegible]. And then there was Hugh [illegible] checked them off [illegible] Being in love with Hugh was a [illegible] I was [illegible] to be worthy of him. It was very wearing. And of course there [illegible] I met him abroad. He said he was a count, and I believe he was, Michael. I really believe it. When that blew up I thought all of life had gone to smash. But I discovered that the world was rather nice after all. I still liked blue skies and white flowers and iced orangeade on a sticky day."

"Don't forget Clint," said Michael.

"I am [illegible]," said Nancianna. "[illegible] I used to think there would be a man I could follow ragged and barefoot across the world. And that would be love. But love is mostly two people trying to get ahead of each other. It's just a phase and after all, Mike, it's rather an unimportant phase. I wonder why we make such a fuss over it?"

"It's nice you can be so clever about it," said Michael.

"Don't sneer, Michael," said Nancianna. "Well, will you?"

"Does it really mean so much to you?"

"More than you can imagine and [illegible]."

"A [illegible]," said Michael Brown.

The next night he walked up the ring [illegible] [illegible] Terry [illegible] [illegible]

the world [illegible] [illegible] was [illegible] uncomfortable. And he was miserably shy and didn't know that everybody thought his shyness was indifference.

"I told you so," murmured Nancianna. "You do look grand, darling. I've always said that [illegible] men should wear evening clothes. Here are Anastasie and Clint."

Michael told himself that he liked Anastasie. He told himself that he liked Clint.

"Want to dance, Mike?" asked Nancianna.

For three months now he had been remembering what it was like to dance with Nancianna. She was such a little bit of a thing. She was so little that he felt as he ought to be very gentle with her.

"Mike, we're going to cause a scandal," said Nancianna. "I can't [illegible] feel them, whispering about us. Mike, do you think I have a[illegible]?"

Michael Brown set his teeth. "I wouldn't know."

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[illegible] became a series of [illegible] [illegible] breakfasts at dawn. Golf and tennis and dancing. Always with Nancianna. Michael [illegible] Terrytown whispered and held its breath.

And Michael reflected grimly that it was just as well [illegible] Michael Brown would [illegible].

And then he kissed her. [illegible] It was [illegible] [illegible] a pink [illegible] dress and a ribbon [illegible] her hair. Michael put his arm around her and kissed her. He kissed her again and again. He didn't [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] he started he couldn't stop.

She kissed him back.

"Sorry, Nancianna," said Michael stiffly. "I'm not very good at it."

"Good at what?" asked Nancianna.

"Casual kisses."

"Oh," said Nancianna. "I thought you were pretty good."

She wasn't even angry, thought Michael [illegible]. It just didn't [illegible].

The next [illegible] he told [illegible] he was going back to New York.

"Oh," said Nancianna [illegible]

"Then we'd better do the heart-breaking act right away. [illegible]

Michael drew a deep breath. "Listen, Nancianna. [illegible] of a mistake [illegible] [illegible] Clint."

"No," said Nancianna.

"This," said Michael, "is the most childish performance that two supposedly sane people ever undertook. Whatever we do, Nancianna, we'll have to do quickly. I'm leaving soon."

Nancianna's eyes began to glint dangerously. "Fed up, are you, Michael?" she asked.

"If you want to put it that way," said Michael.

"There was a time when the social recognition of Terrytown didn't seem so [illegible]," said Nancianna. And then she stopped [illegible] it, Michael.

"My dear Nancianna, [illegible] disturb yourself," said Michael Brown [illegible].

He took her home. "It seems too bad to break into Clinton's evening. And I have so many things to do."

"Tomorrow morning," asked the girl quickly. "Why don't you come over for lunch?"

"Thanks. Not for lunch," said Michael.

[illegible] afternoon then?" insisted the girl desperately.

"Don't tempt me," said Michael [illegible]. "I'll try to look in at the club tomorrow night before I leave."

The next day [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] it was [illegible] Terry[illegible] an utterly [illegible] sort of way. It was just [illegible] to be dismissed from their [illegible].

Except [illegible] It would be the [illegible] Clint [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] to [illegible] Terrytown so the [illegible]

[illegible] Anastasie [illegible] [illegible]

Anastasie was a little late [illegible]. Clint was [illegible] beside her, his arms around her, saying urgently, "Darling, darling."

Michael thought, "That's the way I would be [illegible] Nancianna." He searched the [illegible].

"Here I am," said Nancianna. "Hello, Mike. All packed up and ready to go?"

He could hear the little [illegible] that were [illegible] around [illegible] [illegible] them [illegible].

"Let's get out of here," he said.

To look at Nancianna you'd never guess that her fiancé was holding another woman in his arms where her own [illegible] would [illegible]. Her eyes were warm and friendly and her voice was very clear. "Well, all right, Michael. I think Anastasie [illegible]."

[illegible] Nancianna [illegible] [illegible] "Nice, aren't they? [illegible] I [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Mike. You've been [illegible] Clint's going to marry Anastasie."

"Don't be [illegible]," said Michael. "[illegible] I explain the whole thing was a joke."

[illegible] [illegible] said Nancianna [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] was wrong to [illegible] and ask me to release [illegible]. When [illegible] Clint is certainly the equal [illegible] of being [illegible] to [illegible] her [illegible] and [illegible] the world."

He wondered if she was crying. It was dark in the garden and he couldn't see. "Nancianna—"

"It's all right, Mike. I took a long chance and I think I've [illegible]. I'm not sure, but I think I have."

"If there's anything I can do," began Michael.

"You'll miss your train," said Nancianna. "Nice to have seen you, Michael."

[illegible] was the way she [illegible] about [illegible]

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] thing I've [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

But that wasn't what she [illegible] [illegible] hurrying [illegible] [illegible]

She was still standing by the [illegible] the [illegible]. Michael took her by the shoulders.

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Garages for German U-Boat Fleet

Hitler's main hopes of forestalling an invasion of Europe have been staked upon his fleet of U-boats. He has always believed that if he could sufficiently hamper the movement of men and materials from the New World to the Old he might be able to sit behind his fortifications and hold out against the United Nations until they had bled themselves white in an effort to muster a great army transported across thousands of miles of ocean. Shown here is one of the few photographs made of the famous bombproof U-boat pens the Germans have built in an effort to escape the might of our air force. A sub commander stands on his bridge as the craft noses into its berth. The roofs are constructed of steel and concrete many feet thick. The scene is from "Invasion of Europe," the latest National Film Board release in the World in Action Series. The new documentary film weighs the chances of invasion at various points along the Continent's great coastline.

ALLIED PRECISION BOMBING—RESULTS

Three air views which give mute evidence of the result of precision bombing as executed by Allied bombers on Palermo Harbor, Sicily, recently. Upper picture shows the harbor as the bombers came over the target. Immediately below, bombs are unleashed and on way down to cause destruction. Bottom photo shows the results of the accurate bombings. (1) Two 120-foot vessels blasted and wrecked. (2) 270-foot warehouse wrecked and a 360-foot ship sunk. (3) Huge hole blasted in pier by explosion of munitions ship. 410-foot vessel damaged and destroyer damaged at her berth. (4) Seaplane station damage. (5) Naval headquarters [illegible] damaged. (6) Waterfront buildings damaged. (7) Garibaldi barracks and [illegible] station warehouses destroyed. (8) 350-foot merchant vessel sunk. (9) 350-foot freighter sunk in harbor.

First Hundred Years Of Victoria

A Prelude to Confederation

FOR some years Victoria had been "a free port" but in 1865 when the union of the colonies—the Island and [illegible] no longer possible. There had been more or less opposition to the principle and in 1865 the council broke away from the free port idea and customs duties were levied. The customs duties were then added to the revenue [illegible] had been derived from [illegible] and trading licences, harbor dues and a tax of 1 per cent on real estate [illegible] [illegible] about $150,000 a year.

The union of the colonies which was effected in 1866 was but a prelude to Confederation. This became a vital issue and at Victoria in 1869 when Governor Musgrave received a despatch from Earl Granville advising him as to the terms under which Rupert's Land had been acquired for the confederated portion of Canada and stating that when [illegible] of that area the Dominion [illegible] was [illegible] British Columbia [illegible].

Terms of union were offered [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Atlantic [illegible] Pacific seaboards. British Columbia was called upon to [illegible] an area of land twenty miles wide on either side of this [illegible] railway as Ontario had [illegible] but ultimately [illegible] this territory and [illegible] other [illegible] British Columbia [illegible] of the [illegible] [illegible] the Dominion [illegible] the Northwest Territories.

Victoria had discussed confederation from the time of the [illegible] in fact it was a factor in bringing about the union. Governor Seymour had been opposed, and a Confederation League had been formed in consequence of his attitude. In [illegible] the league held conventions at Victoria, Yale and elsewhere to influence entry into Confederation [illegible] fair and equitable terms could be arranged.

Governor Seymour died and [illegible] in 1869 and Governor Musgrave came from Newfoundland in his place, instructed by the Imperial Government to [illegible] for Confederation. In his message to the Legislative Assembly in 1870 he urged the [illegible] and a delegation was [illegible] in Victoria and sent to Ottawa. Among the members was a reporter of The Colonist [illegible] the [illegible] who [illegible] of the province on an [illegible]. On June 7, 1870, he [illegible] from Ottawa "Terms [illegible] Delegates [illegible] Canada [illegible] [illegible] guarantees railway. Consequent British [illegible] Confederation [illegible] 20, 1871, but it was not until after considerable correspondence and many delegations that the terms of union were finally agreed to.

Esquimalt as the Terminus

Esquimalt was to have been the terminus of the railway [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] with the [illegible] [illegible] was changed. The original route selected was via Yellowhead Pass, the present [illegible] of the C.N.R. Subsequently it was changed when the Kicking Horse Pass was found and the present route of the C.P.R. was [illegible]. Many survey parties were sent to locate routes across British Columbia and they surveyed [illegible] to Bute Inlet, Gardner Canal and other Coast [illegible] and even [illegible] [illegible] reaching the seaboard by way of the canyon of the Fraser River.

Victoria fought hard for the original plan of a terminus at Esquimalt and to this end surveys were extended to 1873 [illegible] Sir Sandford Fleming, the [illegible] engineer, recommended [illegible] [illegible] cannot be postponed [illegible] further explorations are [illegible] [illegible] must be [illegible] with the line to Vancouver [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Fraser River to Burrard Inlet [illegible] [illegible] Port Moody [illegible] to Vancouver. The surveys occupied seven years, cost $3,250,000 and involved thirty-eight fatalities. The story of the delays of the difficulties [illegible] party to build the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] in 1886 is well known.

Carnarvon Terms of Separation

At Victoria [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] British Columbia [illegible] Governor [illegible] protests resulted in Lord [illegible] Secretary [illegible] the province and Ottawa and he suggested terms which were known as the "Carnarvon Terms."

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and a [illegible] was passed by the Legislature. The Carnarvon [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Secession [illegible] Lord Dufferin, Governor-General, came from Ottawa as a [illegible] and [illegible] to Victoria [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Terms of Separation [illegible] The [illegible] [illegible] Terms of Reparation [illegible] was acceptable to the [illegible].

Lord Dufferin delivered a speech in Victoria at Government House on September 20, 1876, which has become historic and is regarded as among the finest types of its class and for the purpose for which it was delivered a masterpiece of [illegible].

Colonial Days Pass

Victoria celebrated its first Dominion Day in 1871, though the province was not formally constituted until July 20 of that year. The first meeting of the British Columbia Legislature opened February 15, 1872, with the Government of Premier J. F. McCreight [illegible]. Dr. [illegible] a pioneer of 1858 was elected Speaker. In addition to the Premier and Speaker, the other members elected for Victoria were Simeon Duck and Robert Beaven [illegible] Government Street [illegible] Premier. Amor de Cosmos and A. Bunster were elected for Victoria district and A. Rocke Robertson and Henry Cogan for Esquimalt.

This Legislature was practically the first really representative government. The colonial government had been a mixture of appointive and elective representation [illegible] [illegible] The Legislative Council [illegible] appointed by the Governor continued after the Legislative Assembly was formed as a sort of upper house which reviewed the work of the Assembly. In 1868 the Assembly had [illegible] members partly appointed [illegible] Governor Musgrave [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] qualifications for franchise and, in that year [illegible] a [illegible] [illegible] partly appointed, partly elected, which adopted the "terms of union." These terms though did not include a clause for responsible government and the delegation to Ottawa organized by D. W. Higgins of The Colonist secured insertion of a clause to that effect.

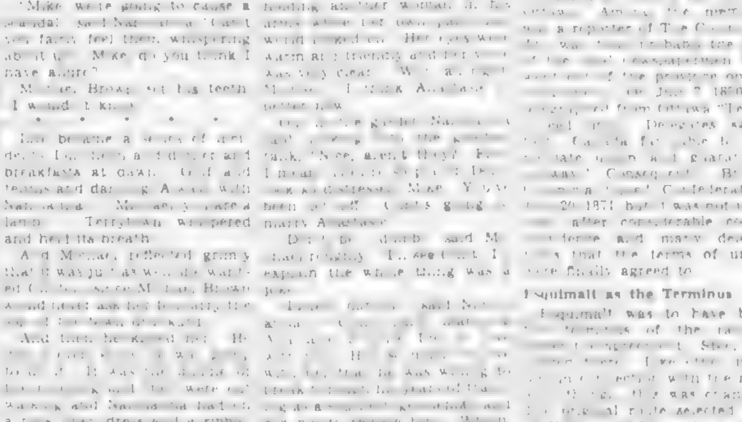
Hawkins Grenade For Enemy Tanks

[illegible] the Hawkins grenade, a [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] tanks [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Now being made in Canada at the rate of [illegible] of thousands a month, the Hawkins grenade is about the size of a [illegible] and can be [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] passes [illegible] [illegible] the grenade [illegible] treads off and stops the tank [illegible] [illegible] battlefield [illegible]

A new [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] has been developed at the C.I.L. Beloeil plant where the filling operation for this mighty little tank crippler is performed.

MANCHESTER (CP)—Pedigreed Italian queen bees have ruled British hives for years but now are disappearing because of the impossibility of [illegible] them. However, [illegible] British [illegible] will take over and as one [illegible] said: "British honey will be 100 per cent British."



HUGE BOMBERS OFF ON A JOB IN TUNISIA

Huge American B-?? bombers [illegible] their formations [illegible] after taking off on bombing mission somewhere in North Africa. Bombers like these, softened up [illegible] Mareth Line, and have played a large part in forcing the Africa Korps' retreat in Tunisia.

Protecting the Atlantic Lanes

BY FLIGHT LIEUTENANT E. B. REID
R.A.F. Public Relations Officer (Overseas)

[illegible]

I HAD arranged to go with one of the Sunderland crews on a submarine sweep. I was awakened at 12:30 a.m. in my room in an old Northern Ireland castle. A half hour later the crews assembled in the mess. Porridge, bacon and one egg and coffee for breakfast, with stacks of toast and marmalade and jam. The diet of aircrew is carefully worked out. They get eggs when nobody else does. Nobody begrudges it to them. Theirs is a job that requires the maximum in physical and mental alertness.

She looks like a real stooge trip this time, one of the boys remarks, but almost seven hundred miles out! They'd better have those old petrol tanks pretty full or there will be a lot of us bobbing around on the Atlantic waiting for the air sea rescue boys to pick us up.

A "stooge" trip the boys call it. But they are not all stooges. For instance only a couple of weeks before a kite piloted by F/Sgt. Bob Long of Alderson, Ont., had fought off three determined attacks by a Ju 88. And it was no very long ago that another aircraft of which P/O Ian Millar of Vancouver was skipper had force-landed in the sea due to engine trouble. The crew had spent an uncomfortable hour in heavy seas before the big Sunderland bouncing like a bucking bronco from wave top to wave top and finally became air borne again.

There's nothing to indicate that these couple of dozen men, most of them very young, are anything but very calm. Nerves will be starting off in a short time on a flight that will carry them halfway to Canada.

Very soon we assemble in the briefing room. The clouds have gone and the sky is a mass of stars. A strong wind has picked up during the night. That means headwinds on the way out. In the briefing room we get the word, that is the instructions, on the trip ahead. On one complete side of the room is a huge map of the Atlantic. Ribbons run from British ports to spots in the ocean marked by code letters. These are the convoys inbound from America. Out beyond 25 degrees west is a mandate: submarine.

I asks where you're going. The operations officer who wears the ribbons and wings of the last war tells the crew. American patrolling that area yesterday came on a pack of U-boats. Maybe an attack but we don't know what the result were. As you can see from the chart there's a convoy on the outside. Your job is these sub patrolers. You'll get your weather conditions from the met man.

Before the met man is far from hand. Once the engines of the aircraft he directs permits of the crew starting out. The stars over-head are purely a local condition. Information from the Atlantic is so vague that he can't predict with accuracy. There are several fronts, he knows that but the movement of these fronts is indefinite.

If you're lucky you may run into ideal conditions just as [illegible] the boys [illegible] I don't know. I mean get back. I can't predict it accurately.

Not Much Future in This

It doesn't look like there's much future in this, reminds W/O Harry Parliament of Calgary, the navigator. Parliament is a tall, [illegible] lanky lad with a little under three hundred to the other members of the crew. He has the reputation of being one of the most accurate navigators in the squadron. Handy is J for Johnny or Pipsqueak II as the boys prefer to call their Sunderland off course.

The crews tramp from the briefing room. Parliament is loaded down with maps and charts. P/O George Bailey of Whitby, the second pilot carries two little orange metal boxes. In these are Gertie and George, the homing pigeons which will be released if we are forced down at sea. At the docks the motor-boats are waiting to take us out to the Sunderlands moored far out. There the rest of the crew will be waiting. They are: P/O Art Mountford of Garnet Street, Regina, the wireless air gunner; Sgt. Jack Kelly, of Revelstoke, B.C., the rear gunner; Sgt. Harold Hutchison of Arlington Street, Winnipeg, the fitter and Sgt. Philip Marshall of Oakville, Ont., the flight engineer. All are tousle headed, sleep-eyed. They had come out to the aircraft the previous evening and had been sleeping aboard.

Mountford, who tends the skipper, he's soon got to get time off for a haircut or else buy a razor is busy making tea in the aircraft's tiny galley.

There is still some time until takeoff. We sit around the table in the wardroom chatting. These Sunderlands are roomy aircraft, almost airborne yachts. The skipper, big Jack Sumner, who is better than six feet tall and who used to be an instructor back in Canada, recalls the time when a station commander, wishing to go all out at his first wings parade, instructed one of his staff, who he knew had been in theatre business, to arrange an entertainment for a very select group of guests. What the station commander did not know was that the man he selected had specialized in coin life, in the fan dance type of entertainment.

Kelly and Marshall are debating the atomic as opposed to the molecular theory.

Hutchinson starts a real debate when he asks: "If you had the pukka gen (the real information) that the war was going to open up wide tomorrow and that we'd all be heading for France for another front and at the same time you had a chance to return to Canada what would you do?"

The consensus is that practically all would stay and see it through.

Sumner looks at his watch. He heaves himself to his feet. "Alright fellows, cigarettes and the oil heater out," he instructs.

Take-Off Time

It's take off time and while it is all right to smoke once the aircraft is airborne there's no smoking when the engines are being started up and gasoline fumes are likely to be seeping around.

I follow Sumner, Hodey and Parliament to the bridge. Sumner and Hodey climb into the pilot's and co-pilot's seats. Soon they roar into powerful full voice. We taxi out to the flare-path a row of lights bobbing on the water, preceded by the dinghy showing us the way with a flashing Aldis lamp. It is still very black night. The stars by this time have disappeared.

The engines roar again. We're speeding down the lake. The pilot pulls the control column back towards his stomach. We bounce once, twice and then we're airborne and heading out towards the open sea.

Nothing can happen until dawn. I go down to the wardroom to sleep. When I awake we're heading back towards base. The weather has closed down and we have been recalled.

I thought that'd be duff. F/L Sumner commentates.

Back at base beyond that trip has been abortive we learn that we are still top sleep for duty. We go to bed and sleep until noon. That night we learn we are to take off again early in the morning. The batman wakes us at 3:30. We report for briefing in time for a 5:30 takeoff. This time it's a convoy patrol. Again the operations officer refers to the map on the wall. He points to the location of the convoy. He shows us again the [illegible] submarine.

There's a definite sub pack out there, he says as he points to a spot in the convoy area. "The convoy escort shuns attacked from underneath and defenders seek out. Two ships above received another two. But the latest advices are that the convoy is still being trailed."

Circling the Convoy

Our job is to cover the convoy for a matter of about five hours. [illegible] Agreed. We go into the takeoff routine. Soon after the first light we are out in the area where we are to pick up the convoy. P/O Mountford is glued to the wireless receiving set. Parliament is busy checking over his navigation. Sumner and Hodey are at the controls turning right and left for the first sight of the ships. Kelly is back in the mid turret, swinging its streamlined glass shape round and round, the four machine guns pointing towards the sky.

From the navigation hatch where I am standing he looks like some creature from a Buck Rogers space ship episode. Mountford passes a message to the skipper through the inter-com. He has got a bearing on the convoy. The skipper swings to starboard and sets his course again over the trackless ocean.

Somebody nudges me and points forward and I see there about five miles ahead, spread out in several single lines, are the ships we have crossed so many times in lots of ocean to meet. Parliament's navigation has been faultless.

The skipper swings to port and starts circling at long range.

We won't go in close until recognition has been cleared established. Hodey says. These boats carry quite a sting and you're not going to have much future if they mistake you for an enemy.

Mountford picks up a message from the convoy's escorting warships. They have recognized us, okay and have a little information.

Submarine to Starboard

"We have a bearing on a submarine to starboard," a destroyer captain tells us. So apparently this is no false alarm. Maybe we'll be able to see the splashes as the depth charges, carried back [illegible] the stern, drop over the German U-boat. The crew [illegible] is known to be in the vicinity quickens everybody's interest. Perhaps we won't be able to attack but at least we will have the satisfaction of keeping the submarine under water for most of the daylight hours of the short mid December day.

Then begins an endless circling of the convoy, round and round we go like the music. Hutchinson goes into the galley and cooks lunch. Thick tough one steaks, potatoes and turnips with bread and jam for dessert. For tea we will have fried egg sandwiches.

The crew eat in turn four at a time. Sumner doesn't do any lingering over his meal. In an action area he wants to be up in the pilots seat. More time passes. It's beginning to get monotonous. The Sunderland is cold and I have neither flying boots nor flying pants. I wish the patrol would end as I stand around the oil stove in the galley trying to keep warm.

Then like a blast out of an inferno the alarm siren shrieks. Red warning lights flash on.

The skipper's spotted something. Hutchinson shouts as he heads towards the bomb racks. Simultaneously the skipper goes into a tight bank. We're flying at only about 250 feet so we have to use only about 200 feet altitude for if we are going to attack it will be from a very low level. Hutchinson and an English lad second wireless operator are poising down the side flaps in the bomb bay. They press the buttons that send the depth charges and bombs out on a track to their place on the lower surface of the wing. I dash up the stairs to the top deck and take up my position behind Sumner and Hodey. I can't see a thing until Hodey points off towards the horizon. Then I see something long and black. We're heading towards it at full throttle and full boost.

Crash Dive by Sub

The submarine appears to be at least five miles off, but distances are deceptive over the water.

Has the submarine seen us? Doubtful, the question. In a matter of a post of [illegible] the question is answered. One moment the submarine is there. The next it is gone in a crash dive.

He must have seen us almost as soon as we saw him. Sumner says, and his language isn't as pure as that.

Disappointed, we sweep on, the faces of all the crew. I feel an anti-climatic all-gone sensation.

We circle the area where the sub had been but an attempt to attack would be the wildest stab in the dark. The submarine might have beetled off in any one of many directions. We were too late.

Okay, bring in the bombs, the skipper instructs over the inter-com. Down below they roll in again on their track.

The circling commences again. We're nearing the end of our patrol.

Soon Sumner signals to one of the escorting destroyers. Our patrol is finished.

We set course for home.

R.A.F. Mosquitoes Sting Nazi Rail Shops

Made from one of the raiding planes this photo shows Mosquito bombers of the Royal Air Force attacking the great railway workshops at Trier, Germany, on April 1. As usual, the Mosquito attacked at rooftop height, blasting everything in their paths. One of the raiders may be seen, top right corner, wheeling over the target area, now almost blotted out by [illegible]

French Refugees Cross Pyrenees

By PERTINAX
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NEW YORK.—Some 20,000 refugees from France have managed to escape into Spain in less than five months, counted from November 11 when the Germans overran the so-called "free zone" which they had allocated to Vichy in June, 1940. The exodus has worked up at an average of about 1,000 persons a week.

Yet the Pyrenees Mountains do not extend far more than 240 miles from Cape Cerbere on the Mediterranean Sea to the Bay of Biscay. And between the two extremities of the range where the principal roads and the only railways run between France and Spain there are not more than two passes practicable for carriages. It would seem then that the cordon of German troops and police drawn around those well defined areas of transit ought to have easily closed all the gates.

But, apparently, the German guards were not numerous or expert enough to keep watch on the maze of valleys developing in the most various directions, wherefrom difficult tracks known to guides and shepherds can be followed on foot. Most of the refugees are of French birth. However they are interspersed with foreigners who never doubted what it would mean to them to fall into the clutches of the Gestapo.

The initial impulse of the Spanish Government was to compel the human flood to turn back. Had not many of these men and women set out from travel without the faintest pretense of a regular passport or visa? And indeed they would not have been spared being hurled again into the Nazi hell but for the intervention of the American and British ambassadors Dr. Carlton Hayes and Sir Samuel Hoare.

Problem of Refugees

Today these refugees are safe. They are allowed to proceed to North Africa under the aegis of a Portuguese port. But, said, that result was at the end of protracted negotiations. The problem is by no means disposed of. Perhaps it is a never ending problem since the good reception of the Nazis and of Pierre Laval will keep on [illegible] come those who regard themselves as singled out for reprisals.

Additional fugitives continue to come down the Pyrenean slopes and from time to time Spanish authorities are prone to make them retrace their steps under escort. General Francisco de Jordana, the Foreign Minister of General Franco in Madrid has shown himself responsive to humane considerations but his promises to the two ambassadors are not always sure to curb the [illegible] of the Minister of the Interior.

Nevertheless a large number of French men who fled to the Pyrenees rather than to the Alps make the right choice. The Alps, in spite of the many passes that lead across the mountain chain, at most have long [illegible] proved to be a [illegible] trap. Swiss official [illegible] country within the grasp of the German power. Laval [illegible] a signature [illegible] regiment of [illegible] by [illegible] which, fortunately, is not [illegible] in the south.

Sir Samuel Hoare and Dr. Hayes have not been confined with rescuing the refugees from Vichy. They are providing them with supplies and money. In fact under their control an organization is being set up which deserves to be paralleled with Red Cross achievements. They very naturally have asked General Henri Giraud's administration to lend help and some African port food ships have already been shipped.

General Giraud will receive the victims of Nazi tyranny. But he is said to have made it a condition that beforehand spies should be carefully combed out. Spies concealing themselves in the human flotsam are reported already to have found their way into North Africa and that all sorts of precautions should be prescribed. When French lives are at stake conditions should not be laid down. And the word "conditions" was not used properly.

Predict Nazi Rout Soon in Tunisia

[illegible]

WASHINGTON.—Now that the battle line for the final struggle is formed with the United States troops in their assigned place how long will it take to rout the Axis out of Tunisia? We know that the experts attached to the map in the military hall of honor, the operations room of the War Department as they read the latest secret bulletins from Overseas, [illegible] not give [illegible] that precision.

I have never forgot that a [illegible] phase of setback must be expected in war. But and [illegible] more even than [illegible] the past [illegible] months that we should [illegible] Axis out before July 1. Well and see then as [illegible] they said confidently [illegible] people were asking what had become of General Patton. Second Corps after it ceased to appear on the battle maps.

Then we wanted and saw and the Germans saw.

The Second Corps had been [illegible] Patton. It had had many [illegible]. Rest, reorganization, refitting and replacement of losses of men and materiel which were essential would normally require a week or ten days back of the zone of fire.

With amazing speed and [illegible] teamwork in movement the Second Corps [illegible] back into the battle line to [illegible] into position replacing a British [illegible] which had been in the fight before the Germans [illegible] hardly found the American [illegible] men and guns were driving home a most [illegible] attack.

If the Second Corps could [illegible] time day after day the guns about 90 per cent [illegible] made on the first day. It would be in Tunis by the middle of the week. For very good reasons this would be nothing less than a military miracle.

Opposed by Nazi Veterans

We are now against General von Arnim's picked veterans the pick of the German Army, whom he has been training and assembling into units for siege defence. It was from them that we have taken chosen natural position which he has fortified.

In the battle for heights in the [illegible] most of the highest. From their crest we generally look down upon those held by the Germans. The aim of German strategy is to make us pay a huge initial price for outpost [illegible] before we come to the assault of the main defence line which inevitably had to be shortened.

At present the front of ninety miles is too long for intact siege defence by the total of Axis combat forces which number about 100,000 out of the total of 180,000 counting all personnel the Axis has in Tunisia.

How long the Axis can hold out depends upon three main factors. One is the extent of the replacements and material received. Another is just how well the final defence line is fortified as a whole to prevent critical break throughs. A third is how far German [illegible] hold up in what is bound to be a losing fight.

A rout before June 1 does seem an even bet if we keep on hammering and cutting off Axis transport by sea and air.

The Doe Who Was One-Eyed

A fable of Æsop [illegible] band of [illegible] to graze [illegible] the edge of a cliff as she [illegible] to secure greater safety. She turned her eye towards the land that she might perceive the approach of a hunter or hound and her injured eye towards the sea from which she entertained no anticipation of danger. Some boatmen sailing by saw her and taking a successful aim mortally wounded her. Said she: "O wretched creature that I am! to take such precaution against the land and after all to find this seashore to which I had come for safety so much more perilous."

Danger sometimes comes from a source that is least so perceived.

Because He Was Shy

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ders. Forget something?" asked Nancianna equably.

Remembered something, said Michael briefly. "Nancianna, what? Why did you write that note? Why did you run away? Why did you?"

"You're so shy, Michael. If I had stayed in New York for a million years you would never have kissed me. I had to get you back here somehow. There was something between us, the Terrytown that you remembered. And until you and that ghost, we'd just didn't have a chance."

She was so close. "And Clarissa?" asked Michael.

"You waited so long before you came, three months, Michael. And I knew it was make-shift for Clarissa. You see that was never American. Good boy, Alasdair."

She was crying. He couldn't see but her tears were wet against his cheek. "Nancianna, how did you know I'm shy?"

Instead of answering Nancianna [illegible] "We've been [illegible] each other ever since I was 12 years old and you ask me that. I know you are shy."

[illegible]

Greek Jews Are Exiled in Poland

LONDON.—A train-load of 1,000 Greek Jews from Athens and Salonica was reached Poland, it is reported by Polish sources.

Hundreds of the deportees who were transported in cattle cars were reported to have died en route. The survivors, men, women over [illegible] years of age, and a number of women and children were said to have reached their destination in a pitiful condition.

The deportees reported to be the first Greek Jews to reach Poland were detained at a concentration camp in the outskirts of Lwow, and a few days later were [illegible] in Poland.

Most Greek [illegible] about 90 per cent [illegible]

Eyewitness of Raid on Tokio

BY A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT
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[illegible]

I [illegible] corps in Tokio that the worst has happened to all the eight members of Major Gen. James H. Doolittle's squadron who crashed in Japanese-Occupied China after bombing Japan on April 18, 1942. The War Department has revealed that two of the planes landed in enemy territory.

This revelation of the probable fate of the flyers was made by Ramon Muni Lavalle, former commercial attache of the Argentine Embassy in Tokio who was the last known Latin-American to leave Japan. He was able to get out of the country on January 19 only because his Government threatened reprisals on the Japanese diplomats in Argentina.

Since he arrived in the country on April 2 Senor Lavalle has been in consultation with the War, Navy and State Departments giving them what information he gathered during his five-month stay after war was declared.

The story that Senor Lavalle has to tell is one of almost unbelievable barbarity. For he served in Hokkaido four months after the Japanese invaded and occupied the island. He was [illegible] of Japanese soldiers bayoneting wounded and [illegible] British soldiers in their beds in the Stanley Hospital, and he himself saw British women have their hands tied behind them and bent taped on the street and then [illegible].

Saw Doolittle's Raid

Senor Lavalle's story of [illegible] in Tokio [illegible] April [illegible] January 9, 1943 confirms the fears of Japanese inhuman cruelty to Doolittle's men. He [illegible] saw whole men beaten on the streets of Tokio but was himself compelled to carry a revolver at all times. He is one of the few foreigners who saw the Doolittle raid. Even on the day after he arrived in Tokio he was startled to hear three long air raid alarms.

It was Saturday noon. He retired. "I was working in the embassy. When I heard the alarm I ran to an roof. I saw several General Doolittle planes flying over the roof-tops. I can't say I have been more than 100 feet off the ground."

I looked down the streets. An Tokio seemed to be in panic. Japs were running everywhere, pushing, shoving, screaming. Every area in and land shelter in the city. Little children and [illegible] Japanese bodies have no [illegible] of bravery. I could see little starting near the port.

One [illegible] Japanese interpreters in the embassy were [illegible] out of their [illegible]. I [illegible] down to get them, but they wouldn't come up to the roof. After the raid a Japanese scrub-woman who worked for us came up to me and said: "If these [illegible] were a [illegible] raid."

That raid by Doolittle was one of the greatest psychological shocks ever said. It caught the Japanese unprepared. Their unbounded confidence began to crack.

The day after the raid [illegible] Tokio [illegible] papers said [illegible] American planes had been [illegible] dropped. I didn't even see any American planes over Tokio. The [illegible] knew said, a statement [illegible] the Japanese anti-aircraft [illegible] was [illegible] I know for a fact that the anti-aircraft drive was removed.

The results of Doolittle's raid are still evident in Japan. They are stamped into the days in the habits of the Japanese people. When before they, [illegible] themselves and from aerial attacks, they took refuge in the [illegible] cellars, morning and each night.

Japanese newspapers carry [illegible] Americans [illegible] by these planes are [illegible] in Texas or [illegible] bomb [illegible] Fire brigades have been [illegible] Fire drills are practiced. Food [illegible] are [illegible] to feed "A Hundred-Year War"

Despite this, however, the Japanese people [illegible] their morale is [illegible] average citizen [illegible] to doubt the accuracy of the information [illegible] they [illegible] a hundred-year war.

Radio [illegible] broadcasts [illegible] that [illegible] are pasted up in all [illegible] rooms. Everywhere people [illegible] they are told about the hundred year war.

Under these circumstances it makes very little difference to the average Japanese when he dies. He knows the war will go on and on for generations. Take the Chinese war, for example. The Japanese won't even discuss it among themselves. When they do, they refer guardedly to it as the long incident.

Senor Lavalle, a former newspaper man, and a keen observer had some difficulty getting out of Japan. He knew too much of what had happened in Hong Kong, too much of what was [illegible] in Tokio.

[illegible]

Afraid of U.S. Navy

Senor Lavalle believes that, more than anything else, President [illegible] afraid of the United States navy.

[illegible]

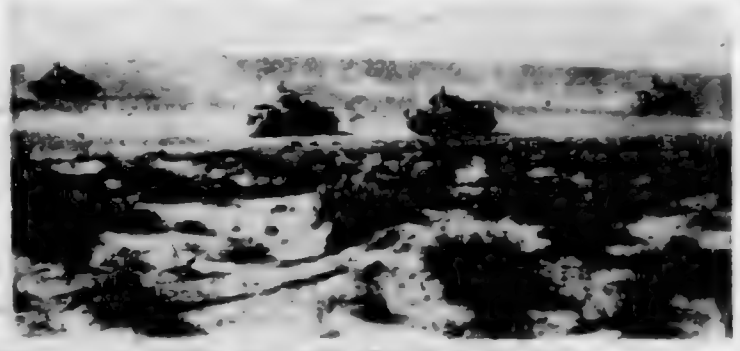
Immediately [illegible] Japanese feel [illegible] Soloman [illegible] was a red. [illegible] to repeat. They [illegible] Japanese [illegible] Japan [illegible]

[illegible] he [illegible] attitude. [illegible] they [illegible] They [illegible] Japanese [illegible] Hong Kong [illegible] way to [illegible].

[illegible] the Axis [illegible] years, [illegible] I have worked [illegible] I [illegible] Australia but I [illegible] I [illegible] country with my [illegible] I will do everything I can to beat the Axis.

LONDON, G.P.—Polish underground sources claim to have [illegible] Polish [illegible] to give [illegible] assistance to de[illegible] Germany's satellite armies from Balkan countries on the Russian front.

BELFAST, G.P.—A firm whose van was commandeered for the escape of twenty-one internees from Londonderry jail received [illegible] $40.00 and an apology signed from the I.R.A. [illegible] Republican Army [illegible] Minority.



EIGHTH ARMY TANKS MOVE UP TO THE ATTACK

Pictured Above Are Eighth Army Tanks and Self-Propelled Artillery Moving Up to Attack in Libya

Where the Lilies Blow

By Robert Connell

STRICTLY speaking we have only a single true lily on Vancouver Island: Lilium columbianum (to give it what appears to be its best established botanical name), the Columbia lily. It takes its descriptive name from the [illegible] on whose banks it was first found in the Oregon days of the Hudson's Bay Company. Its reflexed waxy flowers of clear orange yellow [illegible] spotted are among the chief of our Summer beauties. They appear in the thicketed corners of old snake fences and [illegible] the narrow strips of alluvial land along the Summer water courses of our smaller streams, as well as in open woods and [illegible] grassy places generally. Crossing Mount Valentine on July 1 1916 our little party came on the finest display of this lily I have ever seen. Growing in a narrow swale where all was dewy moist but not wet the lily plants were so much taller and the flowers so much larger than usual that I thought I had come on a new species. This lily is often called the wild tiger lily, but the true tiger lily has alternate leaves instead of the [illegible] ones the Columbian has [illegible] more like the old fashioned martagon or turk's cap lilies and might properly be [illegible] turk's cap lily.

But if we have but one species of the lily genus we have a number of [illegible] of the lily family, all of which with a wide range of difference agree in having flowers whose floral envelope is divided above into six usually [illegible] necessary [illegible]. Instead of calling the inner three the corolla and the outer the calyx it is [illegible] where the color is the [illegible] to take the six together [illegible] perianth. Sometimes the segments of the perianth are united below and separate above to form a tubular flower. Always the ovary [illegible] is above the base of the perianth and not below it as in the daffodil and the snowdrop, [illegible] of the amaryllis family, or in the sisyrinchium of the [illegible] family.

To lighten this somewhat technical discourse I give some amusing lines I have just come across and which are attributed to the late Dr. Walsham How, at one time Bishop of Wakefield.

"See grandpapa my flower" she cried;
I found it in the grasses!"
And with a kindly smile the sage
Surveyed it through his glasses.

"Ah yes," he said, "it involucrate
And all the flowers ligulate,
Corolla gamopetalous,
Composite, exogenous,
A pretty specimen it is,
Taraxacum dens leonis!"

She took the blossom back again,
His face her wistful eye on;
"I thought," she said, with quivering lip
"It was a dandelion!"

Lilies of Spring

First and foremost of the lily family when the weather takes on its warmer guise is the white fawn lily. The dainty beauty of its flowers is set off by the elegant [illegible] pair of leaves with their mottling of copper, brown on green. Usually single-flowered the fawn lily under unusually favorable conditions may bear two or more flowers on a single stem. Just as some plants have almost unmottled green leaves so the flowers vary in [illegible] markings. All have bright [illegible] bases to the creamy white floral segments but [illegible] with additional markings in warm purplish brown.

Some of the finest of the white fawn lilies are found in the Sooke Hills growing in the rough stony areas below cliffs. But in that western region we approach the nearest confines of the less well-known pink fawn lily. This beautiful flower with its clear rose pink blossoms is probably more widely spread on Vancouver Island than the white but owing to the sparser population [illegible] about its bounds it is not so widely known. Even a recent and official a publication as Abrams' Illustrated Flora of the Pacific States knows nothing of its existence. Neither does Piper's Flora of Washington although common on that state's western coast. Macoun says it has not lately been collected. Like so many others of our plants we owe the first record of the pink fawn lily to Menzies who found it on Nootka Sound a century and a half ago. From his specimen still preserved at Kew the plant was described and named Erythronium revolutum. Unfortunately in Abrams' book this title has been appropriated quite wrongly by the white fawn lily of our Island though it is accompanied by a drawing only describable as a libel on any species of Erythronium I ever saw. Henry's Flora of Southern British Columbia puts the pink-flowered as a variety of the white, calling it E. grandiflorum var. Smithii.

The pink fawn lily first appears at this end of the Island about four miles beyond Sooke on the north side of the Jordan River Road and a mile or so back from the sea. The white species meets it and you may pass at a step from the ground of one species to that of the other. Records show that it occurs up the coast at the entrance to Barkley Sound and so on to Nootka. On the other side of the Island it is [illegible] as appearing along the Cowichan River [illegible]. I first [illegible] at Campbell River one Sunday morning in April 1917 [illegible] the little room where I was [illegible] at Divine service. On the table by which I stood when preaching was a bowlful of these rosy flowers and it seemed to me that I had never seen anything so beautiful. A few days later I was given some from the Indian Reserve between Quathiaski Cove and Cape Mudge. They are found also I understand at Kyuquot Inlet and at [illegible] north of Quatsino Sound. So that as I [illegible] before the pink [illegible] has the wider range on our own Island and the neighboring islands and Mainland coast to the north.

There is a third species of the plant found rather rarely on the Island. This is E. [illegible] the yellow [illegible] I [illegible] that [illegible] on the grounds of the late Belvedere [illegible] at Sooke. Two plants were growing at that time at the foot of a large Douglas fir. It has however been also found on Mount Prevost near Duncan and is common enough in the Olympic whence no doubt the seed was brought here. It was [illegible] credited to Mount Washington on the border of the Forbidden Plateau region but this was an error. Mount Washington [illegible] and Coast Range was the locality intended.

Wake Robin and Camass

Close on the [illegible] of the fawn lilies come the trilliums with their flowers of [illegible]. The trillium [illegible] the form of green calyx and colored corolla, each having three distinct segments. The leaves also are three in number and arranged in a whorl or whorl like [illegible] at the stem a few inches below the single flower. Trilliums are to be [illegible] usually in shady woods where they may be seen among the ferns by the roadside. I first saw them in the Hudson's Bay Company's woods on the south side of the road from Cedar Hill village to Cadboro Bay and I remember very vividly my surprised delight at seeing their snow-white purity against the dark and sombre underwoods of the forest. Two years ago I found them in hundreds along the alluvial flat of [illegible] Creek above the [illegible]. The [illegible] had been [illegible] away and the [illegible] was [illegible] with the dark green [illegible] and the flowers [illegible]. They [illegible] to be very abundant about [illegible] and are yet to be found [illegible] in the more secluded parts of the river [illegible].

The American name for the trillium is wake robin, which very well describes its relation to Springtime and the robins, better in the East than here, where robins are with us as Winter residents. Readers of John Burroughs will recall that one of his delightful books about birds is named Wake Robin because as he says in the preface [illegible] the common name of the white trillium which blooms in all our woods and which marks the arrival of the birds. And on the first page of the first chapter he continues: "The dandelion tells me when to look for the swallow, the dog-toothed violet when to expect the wood thrush, and when I have found the wake robin in bloom I know the season is fairly inaugurated. With me this flower is associated not merely with the awakening of [illegible] but [illegible] awakening of Nature."

[illegible] behind the trillium comes the first of our two species of camass. [illegible] Rocky Mountains. On the [illegible] plains and [illegible] as well as on the smaller prairies that on the coast have been [illegible] to resist the encroachments of the forest, the camass was in Indian days and down into the beginnings of the trading order an economic plant of the first order. To people living largely on fish and [illegible] cultivated [illegible] roots and bulbs were [illegible] to the people of [illegible]. And the camass gave a large enough supply to provide [illegible] and [illegible]. Cooked in pits by placing [illegible] leaves [illegible] the bulbs are said by those of our race who tasted them many times to have been agreeably flavored and tasty.

The grassy plains and [illegible] dotted over with women busy engaged in extracting the bulbs with their digging sticks [illegible] harvest [illegible] with its busy reapers and gleaners.

The first species of camass to bloom is distinguished by its [illegible] smaller size and particularly by the [illegible] perianth segments stands apart by itself and in withering each segment [illegible] or twists up separately. The other species called [illegible] segments [illegible] together and [illegible] the [illegible] species. The [illegible] English [illegible] to call them the early and late camass. The [illegible] seem to favor the same [illegible] and are [illegible] found together [illegible] in the same area.

By the sea as early as the third week of March in 1897 8 I found the poison camass or zygadene in flower. [illegible] brush-like inflorescence of small [illegible] white flowers and the abundance in which it grows [illegible] a favorable spot more [illegible]. [illegible] so about these narrow strips of land between the forest and the rocks that are so marked a feature of the East Sooke peninsula. Such places are naturally warm as well as sheltered and there early flowers of certain kinds are to be looked for. There we find not only this member of the lily family but one of the heaths, the hardy kinnikinnick and perhaps nowhere else are its flowers so varied in shade and so charming. In 1929 it was blooming near Beechy Head on December 27, and I had found it in abundant bloom on March 23 of the previous year. The zygadene is pleasant to look upon as it grows but [illegible] of an [illegible] when [illegible] both open and under oaks as well as by the sea.

Already the flower buds of the false Solomon's seal are [illegible] and by the time my readers have this in their hands some of the white flowers will be out. The true Solomon's seals are natives of Europe where they get their name because of [illegible] marking with the stem that appeared to the minds of our ancestors to be a seal to [illegible] of their healing power over broken bones. We have not any of the [illegible] here for our Solomon's seals belong to the [illegible] Smilacina [illegible]. [illegible] are divided as to the proper [illegible]. However, both European and American genera belong to the lily family. Our Smilacina an [illegible] of stem-[illegible] Solomon's seal is a dweller in moist shady [illegible] along the cliffs [illegible] like the [illegible] valley. Its handsome pyramidal heads of small creamy white flowers rise above the large [illegible] leaves arranged alternately on the main stem and are [illegible] with a sweet scent.

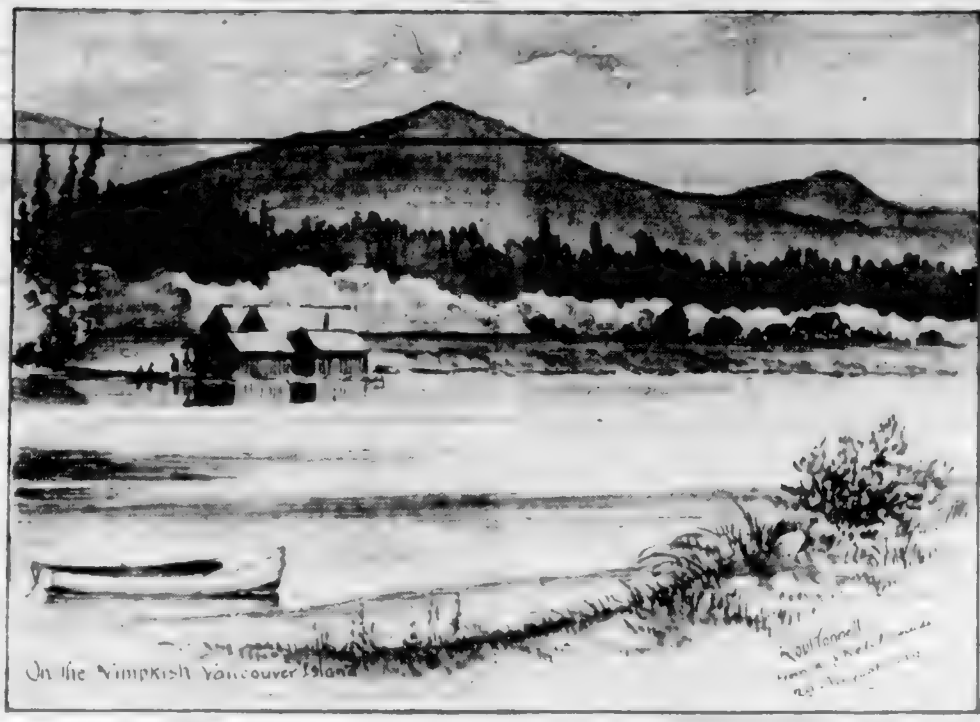
Another species I look for every year on a [illegible] on Oak Bay Avenue where in spite of what the botanical writers say, it is so far from growing on moist slopes and stream banks that it is on a rocky outcrop [illegible] March 3 [illegible] flower heads are much smaller and scattier but [illegible] leaves [illegible] and [illegible] stem give the [illegible] plant a [illegible] attractive [illegible]. [illegible] Solomon's seal [illegible] known as Nuttall's Solomon's [illegible].

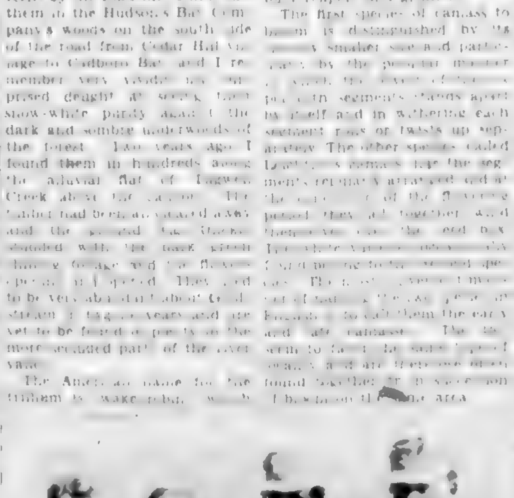
[illegible] these two false Solomon's seals are the fairy bells [illegible]. [illegible] have distinctly bell-shaped flowers [illegible] D. [illegible] fairy bell [illegible] in the forests of the West Coast and on May 25 1938 when a small party of us followed the trail to Boulder Creek we found it the commonest flowering plant of that [illegible] with its huge trees. The other species known as Oregon fairy bell, D. oreganum, was in flower in the Pemberton Woods on May 9 1949. It is a handsomer plant than the other or at least the flowers are prettier, more distinctly bell-shaped.

The greater twisted stalk, Streptopus amplexifolius, has also [illegible] white and with their segments [illegible] strongly [illegible] back. [illegible] completes [illegible].

I have left to the last what I [illegible] the most charming and certainly the daintiest of these plants of the lily family and the group to which the false Solomon's seal and the fairy bells belong. It is the little plant [illegible] known as wild [illegible] of the valley. Unfortunately in many places where it covers the ground it does not always bloom, probably from too much shade. In favorable spots it is really lovely and in addition possesses a very sweet perfume. Its botanical name is Maianthemum bifolium variety Kamtschaticum. It is scarcely if at all different from the British Maianthemum convallaria of Hooker, of which the English is [illegible] the [illegible] the valley mayflower. It is so local however over there that it was not [illegible] it was found abundant at Harkness [illegible] Scarborough, where its native character was evident that it was duly recognized among the British flora.

[illegible] of Spring and early Summer.





SEEMS THEY ARE HAPPY PRISONERS

These young Nazis, all of the 15th Panzer Divisional Grenadiers, all wearing medals and smoking their last looted cigars, were pleased to pose for their photograph in captivity—a marked change from the truculent Nazis of yesteryear. They were fed up with the war.

A Soldier's Letter From North Africa

[illegible]

DEAR DAD: We are having a so-called pause in action. So perhaps I can do a little corresponding — something badly neglected in the last few weeks. Yesterday we received quite a batch of mail and a whole bunch of your letters came together. Mail usually comes in batches.

If you want to know what [illegible] comes of some of your [illegible] I can tell you. I have seen [illegible] U.S. Mail [illegible]. I saw that they had cut out the corners of mailbags to make holes to stick their legs through. Then they arrange a contraption to fasten the cut off top over their shoulder [illegible] of the desert [illegible] as cool and [illegible] as Billy blue [illegible].

When you read books about these sheiks [illegible] I don't think they ever [illegible] a bath [illegible]. For that matter we aren't smelling any too good ourselves. I luxuriated yesterday — washed my face, shaved, took a bath and washed my clothes, all in three-quarters of a basinful of water.

It has been cold clammy cold in these hills and mountains. Whoever thinks Africa is all desert and sand better get their geographies out and look it up again. They laughed at me when I brought a fur-lined jacket and fur-lined gloves. I've been doing the laughing for the last several [illegible] for breakfast today. They were mighty good, if you could get them hot. But nine out of ten are stone cold by the time you get your fork into them or pick them up in your fingers as the case may be.

We are in the woods. But we can't make any fires. At night the light would give us away; in daytime the smoke. So we devised a sort of big can that we dig down into the ground. We can completely conceal any light it gives off. So we can have a little heat that way at night.

It is a queer feeling to be out here in some God-forsaken spot aiming your big guns at some point away over a distant range. Our eyes are away out there ahead of [illegible] able to see pretty accurately [illegible] every now and then we see a big cloud of smoke [illegible] after we [illegible] fire.

The [illegible] big shell [illegible] for comfort. In the last scrap [illegible] we were out the story went the rounds of a [illegible] As the gunner pulled the lanyard for each shot he would proclaim "There [illegible] stooges [illegible]."

In one of the [illegible] there was [illegible] nothing any [illegible] the world suited him. When we were [illegible] he was growling about never getting to rest. When we were resting he was continually complaining: "How in the hell are we ever going to win this war and get back home sitting here on our rear ends?"

When he was up front he couldn't see the sense in killing men who never did anything to him. When he was back behind he was [illegible] that the only way to win the war was to slaughter 'em all like the meat packers kill hogs. As a result he wasn't much of a fighter until he got in a corner with four Jerries coming at him. He had to shoot them all to get out. He did. Now he wants to do nothing but shoot Jerries. If he is A.W.O.L. it will be because he is out ahead of the [illegible] trying to find some more to slaughter.

Last [illegible] we were standing around [illegible] the [illegible] of us. This was the [illegible] how to prepare canned [illegible] how to patch holes in the seat of the pants, how to sew on a button with [illegible] and how to wash clothes in sand without [illegible] water. The old [illegible] have nothing on us.

By the way, that little silver bear I bought in Yellowstone Park with your money I lost it. I'm so glad you found your Phi Beta Kappa key. I'll never find [illegible] bear. It's undoubtedly buried in several inches of North African mud [illegible] which there is no number [illegible] it was in a [illegible]. I was out checking [illegible] some of our officers and men [illegible] were killed. Some [illegible] I heard that [illegible].

I don't know which is worse.

We got orders to change uniforms. A lot of us are not going to change for the best of all reasons [illegible]. So we are [illegible] the big bugs [illegible] whether we are fighting a war [illegible] on a parade.

I'd like to tell you a lot of interesting things but I can't. For one thing my sergeant-major is not only doing his own work but [illegible] the typewriter for the clerk as well. And that typewriter [illegible] taken its toll. But I [illegible] I am not going to get [illegible] on writing up a bunch [illegible] for decorations and [illegible] are deserved every one.

[illegible]

SAPPERS CLEAR WAY FOR EIGHTH ARMY

Sappers are here clearing the way for the British Eighth Army in Tunisia sweeping for mines under enemy fire. The Eighth Army offensive in the Tunisian [illegible] has been marked by furious fighting and all of its primary objectives have been captured.

Tells of Bombing Raid on Tokio

By GEORGE KENNEDY

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[illegible] General Jimmy Doolittle's party [illegible] Tokio [illegible] April 18 1942.

WASHINGTON—From the time he took off from the U.S. aircraft carrier Hornet until he bailed out in the [illegible] China [illegible] a tank factory, Captain Harold F. Watson, of West Hartford, Conn., one of the pilots on the Tokio raid, did not see any of the American planes.

Captain Watson, six feet one, 210 pounds, doesn't wave [illegible] in quarters in his apartment here with a right arm which is recovering from being tangled in the parachute shrouds.

He had never been at sea before he left on the Hornet and one of his worries was that he might be a bit seasick, he said. He wasn't. Even on the exceptionally rough day on which they made their unexpectedly premature take-off he felt fine.

"General Doolittle had told us about 600 miles from Japan was the maximum distance at which we could take off and still reach the designated landing fields in China," Captain Watson recalled. "We took off 810 miles from Tokio and it is [illegible] to say that the men did not expect to get back.

"Just after breakfast that morning we heard that a ship was being fired on. We went up on deck. I saw the ship on the horizon. One of our [illegible] vessels was firing on it and sunk it, we heard later.

"Immediately the word went around that we were going to take off. I was all of a dither because the mechanics had the sparkplugs out of my motors. You see we had planned to take off towards evening. As I was the No. 9 ship to go the mechanics doubled up and managed to get the plugs all back in time.

"Thumbs Up"

"I passed my flight leader on a stairs and asked: 'Any instructions, coach?' He said, 'No.'

"The other pilots probably had more time to shake hands with a few friends made on the voyage but for the most part it was just the passing of a signal 'thumbs up' or the good luck ring with the fingers.

"General Doolittle was the first off and we were all naturally very anxious to see how that went. It was the first time a two-motored plane had taken off from a carrier on a mission of war. The handling crew sent him down the runway in time with the roll of the ship so that he got a lift as he went off the end. The whole crew and all the [illegible] let out a cheer when we saw him getting away all right. He circled the ship once for compass bearings and then was off.

"A very brisk wind was in our favor. It was about thirty-two miles an hour. The Hornet was probably making better than twenty knots so each ship had a fifty-mile wind lift in addition to its own speed when it got to the end of the runway.

"My turn came about 8.45, about twenty-five minutes after General Doolittle.

Marking Said 810 Miles

"I revved her once, that is turned up the motors, but I had to let her slow down at the [illegible] of the naval officer in charge of the handling crew to time it with the [illegible] of the roll of the ship. I glanced at the board again with its compass reading and wind velocity markings, then looked back at the officer and the man with him carrying a small blackboard. The marking on that was 810 miles.

"I revved her again and then let her go. We [illegible] the length of the deck and we were in the air."

Captain Watson was sitting in their little apartment high above Washington with his wife. They have just observed their second anniversary. Here he got the [illegible] notebook sheets which comprised his log from a colonial secretary. It showed that he and his crew were five boats aboard the whirling dervish, as they called their Mitchell B-25 bomber, before [illegible] sighted [illegible].

What was the [illegible]? There was a general [illegible] of [illegible] Lieutenant James Parker, his co-pilot, was reading a Western pulp magazine.

He never would [illegible] of that "Holly [illegible]" Captain Watson recalled.

"Twenty Cent Bombsight"

Sergeant E. V. Scott, the [illegible] [illegible] out of order, but he managed to fix them. Sergeant W. M. Bissell, the bombardier, played with a twenty-cent bombsight which had replaced the secret Norden high-level bombing device. Lieutenant Tom Griffin, the navigator [illegible] of the [illegible] of course.

[illegible] to see [illegible].

They had [illegible] and coffee and Captain Watson yearned for a cigarette but couldn't have one due to the heavy gasoline odor.

They were flying along about 300 feet [illegible] saw a [illegible] down [illegible] the rest of the [illegible] they saw land [illegible] over [illegible] a few [illegible] There was a big cliff [illegible] they checked [illegible] fifty miles up from Tokio about fifteen miles from their intended landfall.

What Confused the Japanese

"That's what confused the Japanese so. We came in from different angles.

"We passed little clusters of houses on the way to Tokio and people waved friendly greetings to us. They probably thought we were Japanese planes.

"The intelligence work done for us was [illegible] for the street in Tokio but there was plenty of [illegible] You [illegible] see where [illegible] at first [illegible] We could see several fires burning in the north part of the city and my flight leader [illegible] was a factory [illegible]. It was burning so I knew he was ahead of me.

"We passed over a couple of flying fields on the way in. It was very tempting. There were bombers in one [illegible] planes in another [illegible] being warmed up. Boy, the bombardier sure wanted to let a bomb go on them. But that wasn't our objective.

"We got the tank factory all right. We [illegible].

"A Japanese plane came up from [illegible] and he went near but we couldn't say we got him.

Heading for China

"So we went away and there was another raid. And we all began to wonder [illegible] would take us up to the [illegible] in the afternoon a [illegible] picked us up. It was like the hand of heaven. It meant we could make it.

"But then we ran [illegible] of the [illegible] and the [illegible] we [illegible] feet to [illegible] of the [illegible].

"[illegible] After [illegible] and the [illegible] got [illegible] with us now. No use keeping him back [illegible]. We [illegible] the red light that [illegible] to [illegible].

"[illegible] My [illegible] own [illegible] I [illegible] and [illegible]. Slept pretty well.

"In the morning I took a little walk and [illegible] I didn't know [illegible] there was a war going on. It was real wild country. We [illegible] been [illegible] I am an American. They didn't know what I was trying to say but they treated me well. In three days our crew had all got together. We even found the whirling dervish. It was a complete wreck but had not burned.

"We got out by way of [illegible] and I got back to the United States in June."

Nurses—Their Place in the Community

IN sickness and in health, at birth and at death, through the long hours of the night, in the tragedy of a serious illness, and in the happiness of a restoration to health, the graduate nurse is an ever-constant, [illegible] to the community, caring for the sick and safeguarding the health of the well.

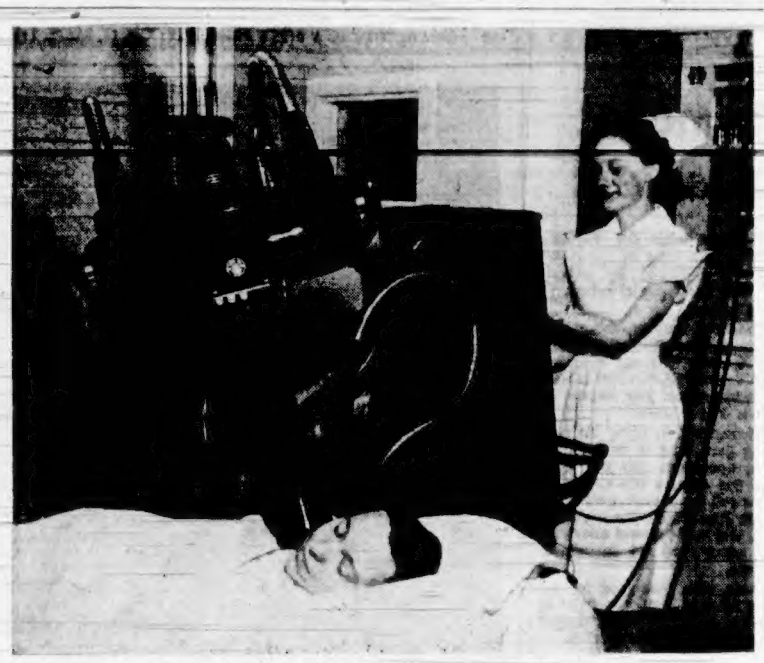
Nursing service is something we rather take for-granted, like our city water supply or electric lights. If these services were stopped we would be perturbed; but as it is, we accept them; an ordinary, expected occurrence; and give little thought how they come about, or who is responsible for them. Let us tell you something of the activities of the graduate nurse in Greater Victoria.

Nursing is usually divided into three main groups: hospital, private duty and public health, although nurses work in other fields, too. The word nursing means "to nourish or nurture," and as nursing developed in the past eighty years the first emphasis was upon the care of the sick. But this concept of nursing became broadened, and now the function of the nurse is recognized as having a threefold aspect: the maintenance of health, the prevention of disease, and the care of the sick. All competent nurses embrace these three activities in her work, no matter in which field of nursing she may happen to be.

An eminent physician once said: "Three forces have united to place the science and art of medicine on its present footing—anesthesia, the training school for nurses, and bacteriology."

The training school for nurses has been responsible for the constant supply of skilled graduates, without whom the growth of the modern hospital would have been impossible. In the hospital the doctor knows that his patient will receive all the benefits that science can provide. He knows that during his absence his patient will be constantly under the supervision, and in the care of, trained personnel. The trained nurse forms the nucleus of the hospital, and about her has developed this modern institution with all its intricate manifestations. It is through the nurse that the various services of the hospital are co-ordinated: nursing care, the operating room, the laboratory, the X-ray, dietetic and social service departments. Much of the actual nursing care is done by student nurses, but this is only possible because of the presence of the graduate.

In the Solution Room: Graduate Nurses Prepare the Fluids Which Are to Be Given Directly Into the Blood Stream of Patients.



The Nurse With Special Training in X-Ray Technique Gives Radiation Treatment to a Patient.

The Private Duty Nurse Gives Individual Care to Her Patient, Either in Hospital or at Home.

The Public Health Nurse Discusses Immunization for Gracie With Her Mother.

What Nurses Do

Last year in the two general hospitals of Victoria, St. Joseph's Hospital and the Royal Jubilee Hospital, graduate nurses assisted in the care of more than 10,000 patients. What do these nurses do? Nursing service in the hospital is the responsibility of the director of nursing and her assistants, both day and night. Directly responsible to the director for the administration of their respective floors are the ward supervisors, who oversee the actual care that is given to the patient. It is the supervisor's job to see that Mrs. Jones is comfortable and well cared for, that she is receiving the treatment, diet and medications as ordered by the doctor, that she is properly prepared for her operation, that the necessary routines with respect to laboratory tests are carried out, that her meals are attractively served and that she is content with them. Assisting the supervisor in these functions are graduate nurses serving as head nurses and general staff nurses. The supervisor is responsible also for much of the teaching of the student nurse after she leaves the classroom and is working regularly on the wards.

Graduate nurses, too, are found in special hospital departments: in the operating room, X-ray, social service, central supply room, where equipment and surgical supplies are maintained, in the solution room, where solutions which are to be given directly into the veins of patients must be carefully and meticulously prepared. In hospitals such as ours which have schools of training there must also be nurse instructors to teach the students.

The Private Duty Nurse

Historically, private duty is one of the oldest in the whole field of nursing, having been coincident in its earliest forms with family life. The private duty nurse gives skilled nursing care to one individual, either in the patient's own home or in the hospital. In Victoria there is a Nurses' Registry, in charge of a registered nurse and conducted by the Victoria Chapter of the Registered Nurses' Association of British Columbia. The services of a nurse may be secured through this agency. In the past six months 1,566 calls for nurses were received. The graduate nurse on call may be wakened in the middle of the night to attend an emergency ruptured appendix, or a serious automobile injury. She may be asked to travel with a patient Up-Island or over to the Mainland. In the household disrupted by the sudden illness of one of the members of the family she acts as confidante, friend and advisor. Calls for nurses come not from Victoria only; hospitals on the Island or in the interior make use of the registry to fill vacancies in their staffs.

Nurse Goes to Telegraph Creek

This Winter, in response to a request for volunteers, a nurse travelled to Telegraph Creek, B.C., where there was an epidemic amongst the Indians. Here is an account of some of the difficulties she had to surmount in getting there:

"We flew to Whitehorse via Prince George and Fort St. John, covering the 1,200-mile route in the one day. But it took me nearly two weeks to get to Telegraph Creek from there, a distance of about 250 miles via Carcross and Atlin. It was 40 degrees below when we got to Skagway, and by Saturday morning it was 68 degrees below. So I donned my woolies! I left for Carcross by train . . . a fire at each end of the coach kept us from actually freezing. We flew over mountainous country all the way to Telegraph Creek, after staying at Carcross a week and making two unsuccessful attempts to take off. The plane was a small freight plane, and we sat on mail sacks and freight. . . . I am boarding at the home of the Indian Agent. . . . The only means of travel during the Winter is by dog-sled, and I have made four trips to a neighboring Indian village. The nearest doctor is at Atlin, 150 miles north, but except by plane there is no way of contacting him unless by wire. . . . At present I have two home nursing groups and a first aid class meeting weekly. I don't believe they have ever been taught much in the way of health and sanitation, but they seem most anxious to learn, which is encouraging."

Not all nurses are called upon for such pioneer service as this, but whatever the call may be they are prepared and eager to meet it.

Public Health Nursing

The third major field of nursing activity is that of public health nursing. The earliest activities in the public health field was in so-called "policing"—in enforcing laws of sanitation, quarantine and isolation. In time this policing became automatic and contagion was in part controlled; but the vast field of non-infectious diseases, of child welfare, and the maintenance of general health began to be recognized. Advancement in these fields could only be accomplished by educating the general public. To bring necessary instruction to the common man a direct and individual agency was needed. This agency was the public health nurse.

In Greater Victoria a generalized programme of public health nursing is carried on by the Victorian Order of Nurses and by the nursing staff of the Saanich Health Department. The activities of these nurses are many and varied. Bedside nursing care in their own homes is given to patients whose incapacities range all the way from having a [illegible]

these home visits the nurse utilizes the opportunities presented to instruct the family in home nursing, to teach the principles of healthy living, and to help the family to solve its health problems. Home visits of a purely educational nature are made to give instruction in pre- and post-natal care, infant and child welfare, and follow up work in tuberculosis and other communicable diseases. Immunization and well-baby clinics are conducted and classes in mother craft are given. Where problems of a psychological nature are encountered the case is referred to the Provincial Psychiatric Clinic.

School Nursing

In Saanich the nurses of the municipal department of health are also responsible for the school nursing. This function is carried on by full-time school nurses in other municipalities of the greater metropolitan area. The school nursing programme includes health instruction, health supervision, immunization, communicable disease control and the discovery of remedial defects in children with plans for their correction. Home visits are made to interest parents in the health needs of their children.

Public health nurses are also active in the municipal health office of Victoria and in the clinics for the control of venereal disease and tuberculosis. A very new development is that of industrial nursing, a field which should prove to be productive and worth while.

Changing Aspects of Streets

Everyone comments on the changing aspects of the streets of Victoria since the beginning of the war. This is particularly due to the influx of men with the army, air force and navy. Should these men fall sick or be injured, we find their care being superintended by graduate nurses. Nursing sisters serve in the Mount Tolmie Military Hospital, at Gordon Head, in the Royal Canadian Navy Hospital in Esquimalt, and at Patricia Bay.

Nurses not mentioned in any of the previous groups are those who assist physicians, surgeons and dentists in their consulting rooms.

Nurses Off Duty

The story would not be complete were we to omit the mention of some of the work done by nurses in their off-duty time, or by nurses who are no longer actively engaged in nursing. Since the beginning of the war more than 800 women in Victoria have received instruction from graduate nurses in the Red Cross home nursing classes. Heading the St. John home nursing courses and the St. John volunteer aid classes we find a graduate nurse. Nurses have given lectures to A.R.P. workers and have held classes in home nursing for school girls. Standing by in case of an emergency, there are nurses to staff positions in the A.R.P. setups and in hospitals. Much of the A.R.P. first aid equipment has been planned by nurses. Nurses are on call to travel Up-Island with the Red Cross Mobile Surgical Unit should it be required in an emergency. They have assisted with the Red Cross Blood Bank, and make surgical supplies for that organization. The overseas nursing sisters have supplied a first aid kit for the Sally Anne canteen.

Registered Nurses

As registered nurses these women of whom we have been speaking are members of a world-wide organization. The use of the letters R.N. signifies that the nurse has met the qualifications as laid down for the protection of the public by the laws of British Columbia, and that she is a member of the Registered Nurses' Association of British Columbia. The provincial association is divided into districts, which are in turn made up of chapters. The local organization is the Victoria Chapter, part of the larger Vancouver Island Districts. Through her provincial membership the registered nurse belongs to the Canadian Nurses' Association, and through this body she is represented on the International Council of Nurses. The headquarters of the I.C.N. have been, like many other similar agencies, forced to move. From their regular home in Geneva in 1937 they crossed the Channel to London. Then in 1939 they were moved to the United States. Canadian and American nurses have assumed the responsibility of preserving the integrity of this body until such time as it will again be a truly international organization. Through her individual efforts the nurse will help in reconstruction after the war, but her greatest and most effective contribution will be accomplished because she is working as part of an organized whole.

More Planes for the Southwest Pacific

By WARWICK FAIRFAX (Managing Director, The Sydney Morning Herald) (North American Newspaper Alliance)

Warwick Fairfax, managing director of The Sydney Morning Herald, discusses the situation in the Southwest Pacific, wherein he states that a lucky break for the Japanese on a slight slip on our part might have the greatest consequences.

SYDNEY, Australia.—It is not at all surprising that the question should be asked bluntly in America why, after so many successes in the Southwest Pacific, General Douglas MacArthur and the Australian Government are still stressing the danger of their position and asking for more help.

The answer is very simple. First, in spite of all successes, Japanese sea, land and air forces in this area or contiguous to it are at least as great as ever. Secondly, allowing for wastage and losses through all causes and allowing for the difficulty and time needed for replacing reserves from America, the Allied air strength is barely adequate for the task.

It has made itself adequate by going all out all the time and by scraping up every available machine for an emergency such as the Bismarck Sea battle. That was an effort comparable to the first British 1,000-plane raid on Germany, which could not have been repeated in a few days' time.

A lucky break for the Japanese or a slight slip on our own part might have the gravest consequences. The string of successes are not sweeping the enemy away, except locally and tactically. From a strategic point of view they are merely repelling his attacks and it is not much use having repelled nineteen attacks if the twentieth should succeed. Air is the key to the position and our margin of safety is definitely inadequate.

The General Picture

The general picture is as follows: Truk, which is the Japanese Pearl Harbor, is but 800 miles from Kavieng in New Britain. At Truk is stationed a powerful, well-balanced battle fleet ready for instant use. In the ring of islands immediately behind the Japanese front lines is stationed a large army of well-trained, battle-hardened troops. Any slight let-up in the present Allied air superiority would enable all this force to surge forward. On the sea we are designed to the unlikelihood of any strong Allied forces penetrating west of the Solomons to check enemy shipping, of which there is still no shortage. On land, a major part of our battle-hardened troops consist of but Australian Sixth, Seventh and Ninth Divisions and some militia units and those American units which have been operating in New Guinea. On this score the Japanese have advantage over us.

There are, admittedly, plenty of Allied troops in the whole area, but the African campaign proves that battles are not won just by numbers. For reasons of security it is impossible in a press message to give details of the losses in men and materiel from all causes incurred in this area. The total of Allied combat losses are not given and, in any case, air war is not fought in so wild and undeveloped a part of the earth without losses from many other causes than combat.

Not Fought Without Damage

It is not fought without damage being done to Allied fuel dumps and other precious ground installations which may be 2,000 miles from Brisbane, the nearest large city. No troops can fight for long in New Guinea, especially on the coast, without a partial loss of physical efficiency through malaria, tropical skin diseases or general loss of condition.

All these problems are incomparably easier for the enemy, who is closer to his bases and civilized centres.

Prime Minister John Curtin's statement of the strain this war imposes on our resources is no exaggeration. Perhaps the high command may be criticized for not emphasizing this side of the picture more in the past, or perhaps the same criticism may be levelled at the Australian Government. Despite this, the view of the high command has been that the more slender are one's resources the more dangerous it is to be specific in revealing one's own losses and difficulties.

I have tried before to hit at these difficulties and my own view is that more latitude should have been allowed.

Finally, a holding war must surely be strong enough to hold the maximum blow of which Japan is capable. She may hold all other fronts and punch here. The Japanese are now strong in Aru and the Tenimber Islands, and one of the possibilities is a drive eastward from here along the south coast of New Guinea, where there are large navigable rivers which could provide good bases for Japanese float planes which are good fighters. Of the planes delivered here since General MacArthur's assumption of command two-thirds of them have come from America and approximately one-sixth each from British and Australian factories.

LONDON (CP).—Lieut.-Col. Sir Philip W. Richardson, chairman of the National Rifle Association, wants the Home Guard maintained after the war. "The British people must at all times be prepared to resist aggression such as we are suffering today."

Soviet Mobilizes Scientists To Solve War Problems

SOVIET Russia, like every other country, has mobilized its scientists to solve war problems. Professor Alexander Baikov, vice-president of the Academy of Sciences, has distributed a report on the scientific programme for 1943, which we summarize in the following paragraphs:

As in the United States and Great Britain, the chief scientific and technological problems are presented by material resources. Under the direction of the Commission for the Mobilization of the Resources of the Urals, West Siberia and Kazakhastan, of the Commission for Mobilization of the Resources of the Middle Volga and Kama Regions and of other commissions, researches are to be conducted for the purpose of increasing the supply of raw materials for the essential war industries.

The Academy's geological and geographical departments are to intensify a search begun years ago to discover new deposits of manganese, nickel, tungsten and other ores as well as rocks which can be used for fireproofing. Though Russia has reconquered the Caucasus, explorations will be carried on to discover new oil fields. There is to be systematic prospecting for new coal deposits.

The production of motor fuel from coal and shale of the Urals, Karaganda and the Far East is also called for by the programme.

Agricultural Projects

In the field of agriculture the academy plans to increase the yield of cereal and industrial crops — rubber-bearing plants, cotton, sugar beet and potatoes. The problem of artificial fertilizers will be attacked by the chemists.

From Lenin's day to this, electrification of industry has been one of the Government's major aims. New power sources are therefore to be developed by the academy's department of technological sciences. Industrial gas-generating stations are to be developed, so as to reduce the task of the railroads. The department is also to deal with the economic restoration of the regions from which the Germans have been driven.

In chemistry, work will be concentrated on the industrial utilization of raw materials in the eastern regions and the production of synthetic rubber, plastics and drugs.

The Institute of Chemical Physics announces it will continue its study of the theory of combustion, and this for the reason that it is essential in the development of efficient engines. Alexander, Poral-Koshitz is to direct research which will indicate how the chemical products of coke in eastern industrial plants can be utilized. Peter Kapitza, once of Cambridge, is to carry on his work in liquefying gases despite the war.

Research on Wounds

The excellent medical research of the past is to be continued, chiefly to discover ways of healing wounds more rapidly than is now possible and to control infectious diseases. Shock and tetanus (lockjaw) are to be treated in accordance with a method developed by Line Stern of the academy — a method which involves the use of spinal injections.

Efforts will also be made to discover more effective blood-clotters, stimulants and pain and fatigue relievers.

That Russia will not confine her scientific activities entirely to war problems is evident from the work that mathematicians will do in the theory of numbers and in studying the dynamics of the atmosphere. Not only this, but the historians are to delve into the Slavic history of wars and international relations, the history of the first Great War, of Russian culture and of the present war.

It is announced that the Department of Languages and Literature is even compiling a work on changes in language. A dictionary of modern Russian, edited by Sergei Obnorsky, is to be prepared, and a study of the mutual influence of Russian and English literature in the nineteenth and twentieth centuries is also planned.

Cardboard Cats To Scare Pigeons

SACRAMENTO, Cal. (UP).—Who ever heard of a black cat working at an army air depot? It sounds silly, of course, but the Sacramento Air Depot, McClellan Field, has an even more fantastic practice—it has cardboard black cats working.

It seems that it all started way back in peacetime—around 1938, to be exact—when the air depot's engineering shops and hangars were invaded by pigeons. Birds from surrounding farms discovered that the rafters in the high ceiling were just made to order for a pigeon loft—a sort of emergency landing field and social gathering place.

Apprehensive workers on the floor below tried any number of devices. They closed the hangar doors, rigged up all sorts of scarecrows and noisemakers, and they even imported cats (of the animate variety), but the pigeons weren't impressed.

Finally someone suggested cardboard black cats—of the Hallowe'en party variety—which were suspended on wires from one side of the building to the other, just inside the entrance to the assembly line.

Suburb and Country

AGRICULTURE IS A FIRST PRINCIPLE: ON IT RESTS THE LIFE AND HAPPINESS OF MANKIND—Julian A. Dimock

Plan All Summer Vegetable Harvest

A PLAN set out by a garden expert with the object of providing fresh vegetables all season long as opposed to an early overabundant supply, followed by scarcity during the rest of the Summer and Fall with special relation to short-season vegetables is presented below.

Some crops, like Swiss chard, will remain in good condition all season and only one sowing need be made to produce a constant supply. On the other hand, early radishes mature in about three weeks and in another week are too pithy to eat. If you sow more than a week's supply at one time, the rest will be wsated. This applies to all short-season crops. Your sowing must be limited to the amount you can use during the period of good harvest.

How can this amount be figured? The table printed below lists these short-season crops.

In column 1 is given the time during which the harvest from one sowing remains in top condition. In column 2, the space in the garden row required to serve a family of four one meal. These figures are approximate, since gardening cannot be a precision job, but use them as a guide with broad tolerances and they will help you avoid serious waste and scarcity as well.

Crop	Col. 1	Col. 2
Beets, snap	4 weeks	1 foot
Beets	6 weeks	1 foot
Carrots	8 weeks	2 feet
Cucumbers	4 weeks	2 feet
Endive	8 weeks	1 foot
Lettuce	6 weeks	1 foot
Kohlrabi	3 weeks	2 feet
Turnips	2 weeks	1½ feet
Spinach	2 weeks	3 feet
Sweet Corn	10 days	4 feet
Onion Sets	4 weeks	1 foot
Peas	2 weeks	3 feet
Radish—		
Early	1 week	1 foot
Summer	2 weeks	1 foot
Winter	6 weeks	1 foot

To determine the longest row of one vegetable to sow at a time, estimate the number of times your family will eat it during the period of harvest given in column 1. Multiply this by the number of feet in the garden row required for one serving, as given in column 2.

Take for example, beets. The period of best harvest from one planting is six weeks. How often will you serve beets in that period? Remember, three vegetable dishes a day should be the minimum this Summer, which means twenty-one family servings a week. Three servings a week, then, will be almost the minimum for any vegetable. At this rate, in six weeks you will need eighteen servings of beets. Multiply eighteen by one foot, the space in the row needed for one family serving, and you have eighteen, the maximum row that you should sow at one time. To allow for guests, and possible mishaps which may reduce your crop, sow twenty feet. And make two or three sowings, spaced about like this: Seven weeks between the first and second, five weeks between the second and third, because the second sowing will grow faster than the first and the third slower.

Go right through the list of the short-season vegetables with this kind of calculation. Never sow at one time more than the amount you can use while the crop is at its best. Space your succession sowings far enough apart so that two harvests will not overlap too much, giving you a wasteful surplus, followed by scarcity. An hour or two spent in figuring this out may save you days of misdirected labor in growing crops you cannot use when they mature.

Remember, in using the table, that gardening is not a precision operation. Do not try to cut the corners too closely. If your soil is not rich, give a little more space than the tables call for, and make liberal allowances for extra food for friends and guests.

Note, also, that food for putting up next Winter must be figured in addition to the Summer's supply for the family table.

Wormwoods Have Medicinal Virtues

The Artemisias, or Wormwoods, have long been grown for their aromatic and medicinal virtues, as well as for their ornamental foliage effects in the garden. Of the Artemisias native to certain sections of Western North America, several are available for gardens. Low Sage Bush (Artemisia arbuscula) has panicles of more or less insignificant brownish flowers, but the tiny silvery leaves are pleasing. Fairy Sage (Artemisia bigelovi) has grey-green leaves, attractive at all seasons, and a nice foil for the soft greyish-white flowers. Artemisia michauxiana, a twelve to eighteen-inch perennial, is a native of Canada as well as of the United States. It has woolly, grey divided leaves and spikes of inconspicuous flowers.

Wormwoods are good border plants and are used to some extent in rock gardens and to edge paths and borders. And, of course, they are planted in herb gardens. There Tarragon (Artemisia dracunculus) belongs. It is a two-foot bushy perennial with narrow grey-green leaves and little panicles of whitish-green flowers. Tarragon is not a particularly handsome plant and is grown primarily for its seasoning qualities, the fresh leaves being used to flavor vinegar and the dried, powdered leaves as a condiment in soups, salads and sandwich fillings.

From the Common Wormwood (Artemisia absinthium), the potent cordial, absinthe, is obtained. This three-foot, shrubby plant should be cut to the ground once during the Summer to control its tendency to spread. In late Summer the Common Wormwood bears racemes of small, ivory-white flowers; its large, deeply-cut leaves have a silvery coating as do the leaves of many of the Artemisias. In fact, the common name of Artemisia albula is Silver King, descriptive of the silver felt on its leaves. Silver King's flowerheads are of a greenish-yellow color and not particularly showy; but the plants is well worth having for its interesting foliage. It grows about four feet tall.

Silver Leaves

Fringed wormwood or mountain sage (Artemisia frigida), which is considered one of the best, has fragrant, finely divided, silvery grey leaves and nodding yellowish flowerheads. Its natural height is slightly more than a foot, but it can be cut back into low, compact clumps. Roman wormwood, too, makes attractive foliage clumps—quite feathery, because of the much-dissected leaves. Grey-green above, hoary beneath, they are particularly effective in the rock garden. Roman wormwood does not produce flowers often; in fact, it is a rare occasion when flowers appear.

An Eight-Acre Field of William Pitt and Princess Elizabeth Tulip Buds in a Sheltered Spot on the Farm of W. J. Houlihan at Gordon Head. These Tulips Were Picked in Bud and Shipped East for the Easter Market. There Are Approximately One Million Tulip Bulbs in This Plantation. Other Plots on This Farm—Which Are Being Kept Solely for the Bulb Market in the Autumn—Will Be in Full Bloom Shortly.

Onions and Radishes First

Spring onions and early radishes give the first crops from the Victory garden. Both should be ready to eat in three weeks or a few days less from the time they are planted, and both can be planted as soon as the ground is prepared.

Radishes have little nutritive value, but are valued as appetizers, and a crisp, spicy radish from your own home garden is certainly stimulating. One or two of them will be relished, but one or two dozen will begin to pall, and in all too many gardens there are dozens to eat, where two would be sufficient.

The cause of this is the very short season that early radishes remain edible. The earlier they are the shorter this season is because they are growing fast, and quickly pass by the edible stage on their way to the goal of all plant life, the production of seed.

With radishes, as with other crops, you must sow according to what you will eat. Figure out the number you will use in a week, and estimate that twelve early radishes can be produced in a foot of garden row. Then sow a week's supply of an early variety at a time. Midseason radishes will be usable for two weeks, so two weeks' supply of them can be sown. The early varieties do not grow well in hot weather. If you want a supply all Summer, sow a late Summer variety for that season. But frequent sowings in small lots is a good rule for all except Winter radishes which take two months to mature and remain good for six weeks. They grow very large, some weighing several pounds.

One way to grow early radishes is to mix them with the seeds of parsley, parsnips, carrots and beets, all of which are slow to germinate. Not more than a tenth as many radishes as the other seeds should be used. The radishes will germinate quickly, "marking the row" where the other seeds lie, which will assist you in cultivating. Be sure to pull and eat the radishes as they mature before they can crowd the slower crops.

For the production of green onions larger sets are better than the very small ones. Onion sets from three-quarter to one inch in diameter or slightly larger, grow faster, because there has been stored up in the bulb plant food which is quickly made available for the growing plant, and green onions grown from larger sets are likely to be more crisp and tender than when the same size of green onion is produced from smaller sets.

Don't forget to use the hoe often, even at the expense of your back. You will forget that when you have a delicious green salad plus some fresh vegetables for dinner.

Fruit Production on Small Places

BUSH and cane fruits, and even a fruit tree or two can be grown on a small place, and will help to add variety to the home-grown diet. In fairly large gardens, where space is not at too much of a premium, the cane fruits—raspberries, blackcaps or black raspberries—and the bush fruits—currants and gooseberries—are usually planted in regular garden rows.

They may be grown equally well, however, without giving them space in the vegetable plot. For an average family of four or five, no great number of plants will be required. A dozen each of two or three varieties of cane fruits, half a dozen currant bushes and three gooseberries, under normally favorable conditions, will supply plenty of fresh fruit and leave a moderate surplus for canning and preserving. As the cane fruits multiply rapidly, the size of the planting can readily be increased if that is found desirable.

A space-conserving method of growing several of the many types of raspberries on the small place is to utilize them as a hedge or a boundary fence. The long curving canes, if they are to be thoroughly self-supporting, should be headed back or pruned to two-thirds to three-quarters of their normal growth. This does not appreciably decrease the yield because the fruits are borne on laterals which grow out from the main canes. While the growth of untrimmed plants is normally rather spreading in habit, they can be confined with a fair degree of neatness within a given area by using stakes and wire and twine. This usually will not be necessary if they are cut back as suggested above. After fruiting the old canes should be cut back close to the ground.

Planting along a fence is another method of saving space with the cane fruits. This is especially desirable for the long vinelike types such as blackberries, dewberries and the several horticultural hybrids such as boysenberries, loganberries and youngberries which cannot be made to be self-supporting.

Strawberries require rich soil and good culture and should either be given space in the vegetable garden or a small plot to themselves. If well cared for and grown by the "hill" system, each plant should yield from a pint to a quart of berries. It is not necessary to devote a great deal of space to them in the hill system of growing (the runners are not allowed to spread and develop as they are in commercial plantings but are kept cut off close to the original crown or plant that has been set out).

Growing strawberries by the hill system has a further advantage that it makes the work of cultivating, fertilizing and mulching—and of rooting such runners as may be required for new plants—much easier than is the case when they are grown in a matted row.

Even on the very small place it is possible to grow some tree fruits. This is especially true nowadays when many of the best varieties can be obtained in the form of dwarf trees. This is done by means of grafting the variety on a dwarf stock. The size and quality of the fruit itself is not affected by this process. These little trees, if planted near the boundary line of the place, occupy very little room, and furthermore most of them, when in bloom in the Spring, are as beautiful as any ornamental shrub, so that they really serve a double purpose.

Butylene Gas Aids Tree Growth

The Russians have shown that butylene gas has a stimulating effect on the growth of trees, such as the apple, apricot, pear, cherry, plum, peach and walnut. A tree is enclosed in a tent for two weeks before the normal or desired leafing. Butylene is passed into the tents in concentrations of one part in 100,000 parts of air at temperatures between 69 degrees and 100 degrees Fahrenheit for a period of one to two hours.

Troublesome Insects Attacking Vegetable Crops

INSECT	PLANTS ATTACKED	DESCRIPTION OF INSECT AND INJURY	CONTROL RECOMMENDATIONS
Cutworms	Miscellaneous field and garden crops	Dull-colored caterpillars—feed chiefly at night	Scatter poisoned bran bait in the evening of a warm day. On Prairies use oil bait. Bran 5 lbs., paris green 2 oz., water 2½ qts.
Aphids	Cabbage, turnip, spinach, pea, potato, etc.	Small, soft-bodied sucking insects found in clusters	Spray with nicotine sulphate when air temperatures are high. 1½ teaspoonful nicotine sulphate, 1 oz. soap in 1 gal. water.
Flea Beetles	Potato, tomato, turnip, radish, etc.	Tiny, quick-jumping beetles—eat small round holes in leaves	Dust with diluted powdered derris, or on potatoes spray with poisoned bordeaux. 1 part of derris and 8 parts gypsum, talc or flour.
Blister Beetles	Potato, bean, etc.	Large, soft-bodied beetles, frequently present in swarms	Dust with barium or sodium fluosilicate diluted with 8 parts of flour.
European Earwig	Miscellaneous garden crops	Adult with pincer-like structure at end of body—feeds on flowers and foliage	Scatter special poisoned bait where insects are abundant. 30 lbs. per city lot.
Beet Webworm	Lettuce, pea, onion, beet, cabbage, weeds, etc.	Slim, active caterpillar—feeds on leaves (Prairie)	Spray infested plants and nearby weeds with 3 lbs. calcium arsenate, 3 lbs. hydrated lime, 100 gals. water and protect threatened field with a trench in which is spread poisoned bait made of weeds (finely chopped), 50 lbs., paris green 1 lb.
Cabbage Maggot	Cabbage, cauliflower, turnip, radish	White maggot—attacks the roots	Apply corrosive sublimate solution to the stems of transplants (dissolve 1 oz. corrosive sublimate in 10 gals. of water. Apply [illegible] cupful to soil around plants, using wooden, glass or earthenware vessels.
Onion Maggot	Onion	White maggot—tunnels in the roots and lower portions of the leaves	Apply four weekly applications of emulsion spray or (West) corrosive sublimate, when seedlings are small along the rows of plants, solution made as for cabbage root maggot.
Carrot Rust Fly	Carrot, celery, parsnip	Slender maggot—makes tunnels in the roots	Seed late and harvest early.
Colorado Potato Beetle	Potato, tomato, eggplant	Striped beetle and soft, brick-red and black grub—feeds on foliage	2 lbs. calcium arsenate in 40 gals. water or bordeaux mixture. For small gardens 2 tablespoonful in 2½ gals. water or bordeaux mixture.
Cabbage Worm	Cabbage, cauliflower, turnip	Green caterpillar—feeds on leaves	Dust with 1 part arsenate of lead, 3 parts hydrated lime or (West) calcium arsenate, paris green or white arsenic 1 part to 10 parts of hydrated lime. Later cauliflowers only with diluted derris when the plants approach marketable size.
Striped Cucumber Beetle	Cucumber, melon, squash	Small yellow and black beetle—feeds on the leaves	Dust with calcium arsenate, especially under surface of the leaves. Calcium arsenate 1 part, gypsum 19 parts.
Tobacco Hornworm	Tomato, tobacco	Large, green caterpillar—devours leaves and green fruit	Spray with lead arsenate 3 lbs. to 40 gals. water or hand pick caterpillars from small areas.
European Corn Borer	Corn	Caterpillar, which works in the stalk and ears	Destroy all crop refuse by feeding, burning or ploughing under before May 25.

Chives Deserve Place in Garden

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Chives are hardy perennial herbs and are easy to grow their delicate onion flavoring. They are especially valuable for and are used chiefly in salads, omelettes, sauces, stews and cottage or cream cheeses. It is because of these many uses as a flavoring that chives deserve a place in the victory garden.

As illustrated in the accompanying garden-graph, chives as a growing plant are very attractive. The plant produces small round flower heads of lavender which remain in bloom for several weeks. The foliage is grass-like. Chives make good edging plants for the victory vegetable garden for they form dense mats and make a permanent planting.

Chives should be dug up every second or third year and divided, otherwise they grow too thickly or mat-like. One good method of keeping chives in bounds is to dig them up each Fall and then cut off a section of tops and roots, as illustrated, and pot them for use indoors as a kitchen herb. Chives so treated will keep on growing if placed in a sunny window.

Chives can be grown from seeds or by division of the bulbs. The bulb is three-quarters of an inch long and has many rootlets. Any neighbor who has chives growing in the garden will be glad to share a few of the bulbs.

Growing and Storing Root Crops

MOST root crops do best on a light to medium-textured soil. For all of them in general and for carrots in particular fresh manure is taboo. True, they require a good mechanical condition of the soil, but they should not be grown where fresh manure has been applied within a year, lest the roots become fibrous and forked.

As soon as the soil is workable in Spring half the recommended season's supply of commercial fertilizer may be broadcast before spading. If lime is to be applied, this, too, is done before spading, and the fertilizer is then raked into the surface four or five inches.

Starting with quick-maturing crops, a twenty-foot row each of beets and carrots may be sown as soon as the ground is prepared. A ten-foot row of radishes also may be put in if desired. Another planting of each vegetable can follow as soon as the first shows above ground. A succession of two or three rows of each in Spring and another sowing in Fall for immediate consumption and for storage should satisfy a family of four. This timing affords a rest from root crops in mid-Summer when other vegetables are plentiful. Succession plantings, properly timed, mean that root crops can be picked at a stage when they are most palatable. A beet one to one and a half inches in diameter, for instance, the epicure considers just about right, and one over two inches not fit to eat. Overgrown roots from early Spring planting are not worth saving for Winter storage.

Parsnips, as well as carrots for Fall harvesting, are planted between the first and fifteenth of June. This provides a reasonable time for them to mature without growing large and coarse by digging time. Turnips are at their best in late Fall, from a mid-August seed sowing. They are not injured by light frosts, but will not stand hard freezing.

Of the several common root crops, potatoes need specialized cuture. Early April is a good time for planting in a trench six inches deep in soil not too heavily limed. First fertilizer is sprinkled in the bottom and covered with two inches of soil. Then the tubers, each cut to one or two eyes, are dropped in ten inches apart and covered with an inch of soil. As soon as they begin to sprout, the trench is gradually filled in. Mounding rows later in the season will help develop potatoes on the portions of the stems that are covered. Delicious new potatoes can be had by "grubbing" two or three of the tubers from each vine as soon as large enough for use. Early potatoes can be harvested at the time the vines die and up until mid-November. Unlike most other Spring-started vegetables, they can be stored successfully through the Winter if kept moderately damp and cool.

Sweet potatoes are practical, too, if the soil is well drained and on the sandy side. Plants are set fifteen to eighteen inches apart, during the last week in May. They are dug in the Fall as soon as the vines are killed by frost.

Carrots, beets and turnips are stored in slightly moist clean sand at a temperature ranging from 40 to 60 degrees Fahrenheit. Unless an unheated cellar is available this will probably have to be a special room to supply the proper conditions. A tub filled with water will help to keep the air moist and is a good safeguard against freezing.

Sweet potatoes are easily stored. They like furnace heat, for a couple of weeks at least. After drying for a time they are removed to the coolest part of a heated cellar where they can be left in a basket without covering until needed.

Parsnips and leeks likewise provide an easy storage problem. They do not even demand cellar space. They are left in the ground until about mid-November and dug before the ground freezes. Stored outdoors on the ground under a light mulch they can be used any time during the Winter.

Transplanting The Seedlings

When the garden seedlings have developed they should be moved to more roomy quarters. The seedlings at this time can be transplanted to another flat and spaced two inches apart, or they can be moved into individual pots or one-quart berry boxes.

A wooden berry box will easily hold nine plants (three each way). No drainage material is required in the bottom of a berry box because of the cracks in its corner construction.

In preparation for transplanting, water the flat several hours before the seedlings are to be lifted, so that the soil will more readily cake and cling to the roots of the tiny plants. Use an ordinary table fork to lift each plant, taking care, of course, not to loosen the ball of earth about the roots.

In the soil into which a seedling is to be transferred make a hole large enough so the roots can be placed in position without crowding them. Press the soil gently but firmly around the roots of each plant with a dibble.

Care Needed to Transplant Plants

When plants which have been given a head start indoors are set in their places in the garden, care should be taken to avoid transplanting shock, which is sometimes compared to the effect of an operation on a human being.

Even though careless treatment may not kill a plant, it may result in an ailing plant which will never recover full vigor.

Planting out too early is one cause of trouble. A plant grown indoors, even of a hardy variety, is likely to be somewhat soft, and cold weather may cause a setback in its growth which will sacrifice any advantage which an earlier shift to outdoors might otherwise have given.

If the plant has no soil about its roots, broken roots should be cut with a sharp knife, and long tap roots shortened. A hole sufficiently large to contain the roots without crowding should be dug, and fine soil filled in about the roots, so that air pockets are excluded and there is firm contact between roots and soil. If the soil is sufficiently loose, and fine, a quick method of transplanting is to plunge a trowel deep into the soil, then push the handle away, thus opening up a hole. Without removing the trowel set the plant in this space, in contact with the soil on one side, then carefully remove the trowel and firm the soil around the roots. Contact between the roots and soil is more important than the even spreading out of the roots.

Plants should usually be set in the garden a little lower than they stood in the flat or pot.

The trimming of leaves is no longer advised. By planting in cloudy weather, or in the evening, wilting may be avoided. If a considerable area of leaves is removed the shock to the plant will be increased.

In handling pot plants, or those started in plant bands, disturb the roots as little as possible. Do not compress the soil in which they are growing. This is usually moist and temptation to mold it into a little mud ball is strong, but you may form a hard ball of soil from which the roots will be slow to emerge, with the result that the plant is stunted.

Starter solutions are popular for giving newly transplanted seedlings a stimulant to speed up adjustment in their new home. A handful of your usual plant food stirred into a bucket of water will provide this. After the plant has been properly set in its new position and soil firmed about it, pour on a cupful of this liquid to soak the soil in which the plant stands.

Plant food may also be applied dry. In this case mix a tablespoonful of your usual plant food with the soil which has been taken out in preparing the hole. Mix it thoroughly, and it will not harm the plant roots; then, when the soil has been well firmed about the plant, pour on a cup of water. This will dissolve some of the food and make it available to the plant.

A Page For CHILDREN

Adam and Eve In the Garden

"AND the Lord God planted a garden in Eden, where He put man whom He formed," so the Bible tells the story of the first garden and the first man. "And out of the ground made the Lord to grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight, and good for food; the tree of life also in the midst of the garden, and the tree of knowledge of good and evil.

"And the Lord God took the man and put him in the Garden of Eden to dress it and to keep it. And the Lord God commanded the man, saying: 'Of every tree in the garden thou mayest freely eat, but of the tree of knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it; for in the day thou eatest thereof, thou shalt surely die.'"

Adam worked in the beautiful garden. He took care of the flowers and trees and the animals, giving them names, for they were not afraid of him. The Lord God considered it was not good for Adam to live alone, so He sent him a wife, named Eve.

At first they were happy; for they were pure and holy, and had no fear of evil. Adam told his wife what the Lord God had said about the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, and how they had been commanded not to eat of it.

It happened one day, however, that when Eve was walking alone near the tree a serpent spoke to her and said: "Yea, hath God said, 'Ye shall not eat of every tree in the garden?'"

Eve answered the serpent: "We may eat of the fruit of the trees of the garden; but of the fruit of the tree that is in the midst of the garden, God hath said, 'Ye shall not eat of it, neither shall ye touch it, lest ye may die.'"

And the serpent said unto the woman, "Ye shall not surely die."

Perhaps Eve had longed to eat of the tree before the serpent tempted her, and now, as she looked at the lovely fruit, she began to think that the Lord God had been unkind in forbidding her to eat of it, and she believed the wicked serpent instead of the Lord God, her Friend. So she took some of the fruit and ate it, and then she gave some to Adam, and he ate of it also.

But, alas! the moment they had eaten the fruit, they understood what doing wrong meant, and for the first time they felt ashamed. In the beginning they had not needed to wear any clothes, but now they took some large fig leaves and sewed them together to cover themselves.

But when the sun went down and the air grew cool, Adam and his wife heard God walking in the garden. Their fear grew greater every moment, and whereas on other days they had always hurried forth with joy to meet the Lord God, now they hid themselves among the thick trees. Then the Lord God called to Adam, and Adam had to come forth and confess to God that he had hidden himself because he was ashamed.

And God said to Adam, gravely: "Hast thou eaten of the tree whereof I commanded thee that thou should not eat?"

Then Adam blamed Eve, who told God it was the serpent that had tempted her.

And now the happy times in the garden were over and God was obliged to send Adam and Eve into the wide world to work hard and to bear pain and trouble.

Since then, as all know, when the right time comes, all people die and leave this world which, though beautiful, has been spoiled by sin in order that they may live again in the Heaven which God has prepared for His children. So God, in the end, will conquer all sin and pain.

Wisdom of a Mother Cat

Few of us give the cat credit for its remarkable intelligence, possibly because of its retiring and undemonstrative nature. However, a mother cat will fight to the death for her young, and is tireless in providing for them. At other times she is shrinking.

I once owned a mother cat with three tiny kittens. We kept them in a vacant room just off the kitchen. One day, while I was preparing dinner, she came into the kitchen and began to cry for food. I was too busy to bother with her just then and paid no attention to her. Finding her pleading ineffective, she went to her room, brought back one of her babies, laid it at my feet, and looked up at me with a plaintive "Meow!" ("Just see what I have to feed!") Her strategy won.

Buttercup, Poppy, Forget-Me-Not

Buttercup, Poppy, Forget-me-not—
These three bloomed in a garden spot;
And once, all merry with song and play,
A little one heard three voices say:
"Shine and shadow, Summer and Spring,
Oh, thou child with the tangled hair
And laughing eyes; we three shall bring
Each an offering passing fair."
The little one did not understand,
But they kent and kissed the dimpled hand.

Buttercup gamboled all day long,
Sharing the little one's mirth and song;
Then, stealing along on misty gleams,
Poppy came bearing the sweetest dreams.
Playing and dreaming—and that was all
Till once a sleeper would not awake;
Kissing the little face under the pall,
We thought of the words the third flower spake;
And we found betimes in a hallowed spot
The solace and peace of Forget-me-not.

Buttercup shareth the joy of day,
Glinting with gold the hours of play;
Bringeth the Poppy sweet repose,
When the hands would fold and the eyes would close;
And after it all—the play and the sleep
Of a little life—what cometh then?
To the hearts that ache and the eyes that weep
A new flower bringeth God's peace again.
And each one serveth its tender lot—
Buttercup, Poppy, and Forget-me-not.

—Eugene Field.

The Wolf and The Lamb

According to one of Æsop's fables a wolf, meeting with a lamb astray from the fold, resolved not to lay violent hands on him, but to find some plea, which should justify to the lamb himself his right to eat him. He thus addressed him, "Sirrah, last year you grossly insulted me."

"Indeed," bleated the lamb in a mournful tone of voice, "I was not then born."

Then said the wolf, "You feed in my pasture."

"No, good sir," replied the lamb, "I have not yet tasted grass."

Again said the wolf, "You drink of my well."

"No," exclaimed the lamb, "I never yet drank water, for as yet my mother's milk is both food and drink to me." On which the wolf seized him, and ate him up, saying, "Well, I won't remain supperless even though you refute every one of my implications."

And the moral of this tale is—the tyrant will always find a pretext for his tyranny, and it is useless for the innocent to try by reasoning to get justice, when the oppressor intends to be unjust.

Dressed as a Native, Walter Greenway Wandered Many Times in the Turkish Lines During the Former European War. He Pretended to Be a Deaf and Dumb Bedouin.

Spies Play Their Part in Wartime

INTELLIGENCE—one of the army's services has wide range of branches and among them are those which engage in spying within the domain of the enemy; a hazardous job with death as the penalty of detection and yet those willing to serve are found ready, believing as Nathan Hale said that "every kind of service necessary for the public good becomes honorable by being necessary."

Major J. T. Gorman, who wrote of spies, tells of how one of England's greatest kings was willing to serve as a spy. When Alfred the Great was in Athelney during the Danish invasion, he disguised himself as a minstrel and went, with one faithful friend, into the enemy's camp. He, in his guise as a wandering minstrel, was allowed into the banqueting hall of the Danish king and remained there several days to obtain much valuable information. When he returned to his own army, Alfred had learned all that was necessary to defeat the enemy—as the Danes discovered soon afterwards.

The Bible has its spy stories. The Old Testament tells of men sent by Joshua to spy out the land, even Jericho; how they were discovered and pursued; and how a woman saved them by her cleverness and bravery, hiding them under the stalks of drying flax spread on the roof of her house. Afterwards she let them down from the city wall, to hide in a cave until their pursuers had given up the chase, and the spies were able to return with their information to the Israelitish army.

The Romans had a great military spy service; in fact, in all wars there have been spies and many have had great exploits and desperate adventures. During the Jacobite rebellion the spies of the Jacobites were particularly bold and daring, carrying messages to and from the Continent in an amazing number of secret ways. One of them, Fuller, was taken prisoner and searched over and over again—until at last letters were discovered inside his buttons. Even then there seemed to be nothing particularly secret about these communications until they were held close to a pan of burning charcoal; then other words appeared, written between the lines, invisibly.

During the American War of Independence there were two famous spies—one on each side. One, Major John Andre is buried in Westminster Abbey. He was taken prisoner by the Americans in 1774 and became friendly with many of his captors. Later, in 1779, when Andre had been released and was on the staff at the British headquarters, one of his American acquaintances, General Benedict Arnold, began to correspond with the British, suggesting that if paid well, he would deliver up the fortress of West Point, which he commanded. Andre agreed to meet him in neutral territory, but frightened of his own party and of Andre too, Benedict played a double trick and contrived that the Major should be taken prisoner after he had decoyed him into enemy territory in disguise. Meanwhile the Americans had discovered Arnold's treachery and no mercy was shown, Andre being hanged.

Captain Nathan Hale, who was hanged by the British—his last saying was "I regret that I have only one life to give for my country"—was a spy for George Washington, and volunteered to go into the British lines on Long Island to try to discover their plans. He went as a schoolmaster, in Quaker dress, and was received everywhere in the British camp. At night he made plans, maps and notes in Latin, which were concealed in the soles of his shoes. But someone suspected and betrayed him, and some days later, when he returned to the boat which was to ferry him back to the mainland, he found it manned by British marines, who made him a prisoner.

Vidocq was a spy employed by Napoleon's secret police and he had the extraordinary power to disguise his face without use of make-up or paint. He altered its shape, age, expression with lightning speed by some marvelous control of his muscles.

Spies were employed to very great extent in the United States Civil War, made easier because both armies spoke the same language, though differences of accent sometimes led to capture. Even in Old Testament times differences of dialect betrayed disguised soldiers. When the Ephraimites tried to cross the fords sentries posted there made them say "Shibboleth," and if they pronounced it "Sibboleth," in a lisping way, the sentries knew they were of the enemy's camp. Among the boldest of the Confederate spies were women—Belle Boyd, Emma Edmonds, Calamity Jane. Belle Boyd was a young girl, who, when the Federals took Martinsburg and set up headquarters in her father's house, constantly carried information to Southern generals.

Once, when an important council was held, she crouched in a cupboard over the room and listened at a knothole in the floor and took down in shorthand what was said. So cramped was she that when the council ended she fainted and lay unconscious in the cupboard for some time; but when she recovered she was off, on her pony to carry her report to the Southern headquarters. In the end this brave girl was taken prisoner, but was released and allowed to go to England.

Charles Newcombe, a Northern spy, was a daredevil who had some extraordinary escapes. At one time he was caught, sentenced to be hanged, and confined in a log cabin, fettered with ball and chain, and a sentry was posted at the door. The spy was strong, and managed to drag himself up to the crosspiece over the door, swinging the six-pound ball clear of the ground and stunning the sentry as he passed. He wrenched off his fetters with the sentry's bayonet and escaped. His fortune favored him long, but before the war ended he was caught and hanged.

British spies have often disguised as natives. A famous case was that of the galant Kavanagh, who carried a letter from Sir James Outram, in besieged Lucknow during the Indian Mutiny, to the relieving force, at great risk, disguised as a native. He was born in India, knew the language well, and managed to make himself look the part.

It was said that the Jameson Raid of 1896 failed through the clever work of a Boer spy. When Doctor Jim and his raiders were marching on Johannesburg a stranger came pretending delight at the object of the raid. But, he told them, their guide was misleading them and they were on the wrong road. Despite his protests the guide was displaced and the plausible stranger—one of Kruger's spies—led the column straight into a Boer ambush—which brought the expedition to an end.

During the former European war the bravery of spies surpassed much that went before. There were many of them. One of the notable spies was a French girl, Louise de Bettignies, known as "Alice," who showed great bravery and cleverness in carrying information from the territory occupied by the enemy, to the British. She had many adventures, sometimes being arrested by the Germans while carrying important papers, but on each occasion managed to dispose of them before being searched. On one occasion when stopped at a frontier post to be searched she flung her little handbag down in such a careless way under the noses of the Germans that they did not consider it held anything of importance and did not even open it. The brave girl was caught at last when worn out by incessant labors, so that she could not think with her usual quickness—the danger that threatens spies—and was executed by the Germans.

Another spy of the former European war was Walter Greenway, who had lived at Aden for years, where he learned the ways and language of the natives and had learned German previously. With powers of mimicry, knowledge of languages and swarthy complexion, he dressed as a native and wandered into the Turkish lines in Mesopotamia, pretending to be a deaf and dumb Bedouin, more or less of an idiot, "afflicted by Allah," which made the Turks inclined to treat him kindly.

But he was far from deaf; he listened to conversations of Turk and German officers, then crept to the British lines with his information, carrying it so secretly that British soldiers believed him to be an Arab. Several times he went to and fro; and then the Turks found out that he had been in the enemy lines, and began to suspect. They determined to find out if he was truly deaf and dumb as he pretended. They fired rifles close to his ears, and led him so close to big guns that concussion of their firing made his ears and nose bleed; but he made no sign of having heard anything.

Then they did worse. His flesh was seared with hot irons; his fingernails were torn off in an effort to make him speak and betray himself; but the brave spy said not a single word, and the Turks were at last convinced, and let him go. Greenway managed to drag himself back to the British, and told them his news, but he nearly died from the effect of his torture, and his left arm had to be amputated. He could serve the army no more. He went back, broken in body, though not in spirit, to his farm near Aden.

Donkey Firm; Not Stupid

The donkey is supposed to be a stupid animal. He is not really stupid, but has a firm will, and likes to have his own way. The donkey has long ears and a long head, and a thin little tail with a plume of hair at the end. The donkey can live on very poor food and is a wonderful hill climber.

In mountainous countries, men would not be able to get along without donkeys to do much of the hard work. These animals climb like goats. They carry heavy burdens on their backs and walk along narrow stony tracks up the mountain sides where no horse could stand.

St. Francis of Assisi

Long ago, in Assisi town,
God's troubadour, in tattered gown,
Walked midst the simple folk,
Talked of kindness and of love
To man and bird and beast.
"Give praise," he said, "to God above
From greatest unto least."

On fluttering wings
Birds circled round his head.
They felt his love of living things
And in their hearts there was no dread.
"Little feathered brothers," said the Saint,
"Sing, sing to God your praise.
He hears your joyful cry
Mingled with the choirs on high."

At his words, sweet music burst
From all the tiny throats . . .
On waves of sound it was upborne
Until it reached God on His throne
And Francis saw His smile . . .
"Praise God, all ye that live," he cried,
"God loves us, every one!"

—Hal Day.

The Kite That Went To the Moon

MANY years ago in the Child's Garden of Stories, Maude Elizabeth Paterson told the story of Ning-Ting. He was a funny little boy who lived in China and instead of wearing his hair cropped short it was all shaved off except a piece at the back which was plaited into a queue. He also wore baggy little trousers and queer, tiny shoes, turned up at the toes.

One day Ning-Ting was sitting at the table eating his supper of rice with two little chop-sticks. He was very sleepy, and every now and then his head nodded, and his mother called, "Ning-Ting, wake up and eat your supper." "I am not asleep, mother," answered Ning-Ting "I was only thinking." This is what Ning-Ting is thinking about.

Next door to Ning-Ting lived his uncle, Pon-ge-wan-ge, and his little boy, Ning-Ting's cousin, Foo-Choo. Uncle Pon-ge-wan-ge was the owner of a little shop. He had all kinds of pretty fans and jars for sale. When Foo-Choo's birthday came, he gave him a very large kite made of colored paper, and with a long, long tail. Ning-Ting and Foo-Choo had such fun with it on windy days; away up in the clouds it would fly, and on very windy days both boys had to hold on to the stick.

But Ning-Ting kept thinking how very nice it would be if he could only have the kite all to himself; and one windy day, when Uncle Pon-ge-wan-ge and Foo-Choo were away on a visit, Ning-Ting climbed over the fence into Foo-Choo's yard. Going on tiptoe across the yard, he went inside the shed and up the ladder to the hayloft, where he knew the kite was kept. Just as he was tiptoeing across the floor, he heard a thump, thump. Ning-Ting jumped and looked around with eyes of terror; it was only the cat—but you know a little voice inside of Ning-Ting kept telling him he was doing something wrong.

But, although he was frightened, Ning-Ting did not listen to the little voice and, taking up the kite, he carried it carefully down the ladder, across the yard, and over the fence into his own yard. Then, holding tightly on to the stick, he let the kite go and away it went, swinging gracefully with its long tail, higher and higher and higher, until all the string was untwined from the stick, and then Ning-Ting could feel the kite pulling him off his feet. He thought this is good fun, and as the kite pulled him he went up and down on his heels and toes. "I do believe if I let myself go the kite would lift me on top of the shed," he said to himself. And, yes, it was true. As soon as he stopped pulling, the kite lifted him high up on top of the shed.

Just then Ning-Ting heard voices and, looking down into the next yard, he saw Uncle Pon-ge-wan-ge and Foo Choo. He was so frightened that he let the kite pull him away to the top of the poplar tree, and Uncle Pon-ge-wan-ge and Foo-Choo looking up, wondering what kind of a queer bird was on top of the tree. Ning-Ting saw them looking and, grasping the stick tightly when the next gust of wind came, allowed the kite to pull him away—up, up, up, to the clouds.

Poor Ning-Ting dared not look down. And as it was just about sunset, it began to grow dark and he could feel something crawling up his back like a snake. It was only his pigtail after all, and just then a large, round yellow face loomed up—the man in the moon. "Halloo, how did you get here?" he cried to Ning-Ting. "The kite brought me," said Ning-Ting. "Oh, did it?" said the Man in the Moon; "and pray whose kite is it—yours?" "No-oo-oo," said poor Ning-Ting, and then he began to cry. "Boo-hoo, boo-hoo, boo-hoo, I want to go home! I want to go home!" "Oh, do you?" said the Man in the Moon, and, taking out a large knife, he cut the string of the kite, and with a thump and a bang down came Ning-Ting to earth again.

Just then he heard some one calling, "Ning-Ting, Ning-Ting, wake up, wake up, you have fallen out of your chair." And Ning-Ting found himself on the floor, with his mother bending over him. "The Man in the Moon, he cut the string; the Man in the Moon, he cut the string," he mumbled. "Oh, Ning-Ting, you have been dreaming," said his mother. "Come, and I shall help you to bed." And I think Ning-Ting was glad it was all a dream, don't you?

The Stars And Stripes

The flag of the United States, the "Stars and Stripes," was first unfurled over a warship by John Paul Jones, when he took command of the "Ranger," in June, 1777, and the American flag was first carried in battle in September of the same year at Brandywine. At first, there was some confusion regarding the red and white stripes and when Vermont and Kentucky entered the Union in 1791 and 1792, two additional stripes were added. However, in 1818, the thirteen stripes were readopted as standard, and a star was added in the blue field for each new state. With the admission of Arizona in 1912, the forty-eighth star appeared on the flag and completed the "Stars and Stripes" that we know today.

In the early days of the American Revolution, each state fought under its own flag. In 1775 a uniform ensign was adopted, which carried the Union Jack of Britain in the corner, on a background of thirteen alternate red and white stripes. After the Declaration of Independence was signed, the colonists refused to use the Union Jack, and so, on June 14, 1777, the Continental Congress decided on a design for a national flag.

A committee consisting of George Ross, Robert Morris and George Washington, called on Betsy Ross at her home in Arch Street, Philadelphia, and asked her to make the flag. So successful was she, that she received a contract to make all the government flags, a business which remained in her family until 1857.

Albatross Is Sailors' Friend

The great wandering albatross of the lonely southern seas is one of the few birds who care nothing for land, living their quiet lives in perfect contentment over the rolling ocean waves, a true lover of the sea—the sailor's friend.

Actually the albatross holds a strange spell over the sailor. He believes this bird, following a ship for days at a time with seemingly motionless wings, possesses an unnatural power, and no sailor is so bold as to harm one of them. About this old superstition Coleridge constructed his well-known poem, "The Ancient Mariner."

The wandering albatross is the largest of all water birds, and it has the greatest wing expanse of the entire bird kingdom, its wings often measuring ten to fourteen feet from tip to tip. This tremendous wing-spread seems a bit out of proportion, for the body of the albatross seldom weighs as much as eighteen pounds, but when one considers the fact that the albatross lives entirely on the wing, the need for very powerful wings can be seen. Only when it comes to the surface of the sea long enough to snatch a fish or a bit of refuse from a ship does the albatross light momentarily. When it wishes to rise again it lifts its great wings and runs along the top of the water for seventy or eighty yards before it can attain "take-off" speed and again reach its natural home—the sky.

Unlike most species of birds, both the male and female albatross dress exactly alike. They are dressed very warmly, too, for Mother Nature has given them an excellent coat of fine black and white feathers.

"Boy Scouts, Boy Scouts, have you any wool?, Yes, sir. Yes, sir. Hundreds of bags full." So sing Toronto Scouts, including the new 20let "All Nations" Troop, whose collection of tailors' wool trimmings is shown above. The boys are of Polish, Finnish, Jewish, Russian, Ukrainian, French-Canadian and Anglo-Saxon Origin.

His Honor Lieut.-General Kendall of Nova Scotia signs the Log at the opening of the new Tweedsmuir Room, Halifax, the enlarged club room for former Boy Scouts now in the services. The Log contains 1,560 signatures, representing every part of the Empire, and every rank up to admirals. With the Lieut.-Governor are President W. C. Nickerson and Provincial Commissioner Tibbs of the Boy Scouts Association.

Great Britain and the Dominions Overseas

Minesweepers at Malta Kept the Channels Open During Island's Blitz

Difficult Work Keeping Valletta Harbor Open, but the Fleet Has Done Fine Job

By GEORGE PALMER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

ABOARD BRITISH MINESWEEPER OFF MALTESE COAST (UP).—This sturdy ship and a flotilla of others like her are perhaps the most unsung, yet most important, little vessels in the world so far as Malta is concerned. The job they've done, sweeping enemy mines from the entrance to Valletta Grand Harbor, stands as a glowing tribute to the perseverance of the Royal Navy.

Granted that merchant ships which brought food and other valuable stores to the people of the island and war material to the three services, were the "headliners" of the sea in Maltese eyes during the trying months of yesterday. But it must be remembered that if it were not for the mine-sweeping flotilla there would have been no channels of safety through which the merchantmen could pass. They would have been unable to unload their cargoes if the sweepers had not kept the channel open.

Only naval vessels of the fleet to remain at Malta throughout the entire blitz when other ships were removed to safer ports, the mine sweepers worked night and day plying the choppy waters off Malta charting German and Italian parachute mines as they were dropped and sweeping them out of the sea the following day.

Sweep Front Steps

"We are the old ladies who sweep the front steps of Malta," Lieut.-Commander H. S. Jerome, leader of this flotilla, told me on the bridge. "We aren't very pretty and we don't have the nice figures or the speed of the younger girls of the fleet, but we ducked all the bombs and kept all the sidewalks clean for the boys who brought home the bacon."

Jerome, Mexican-born, with an American wife now living in St. Louis, told me, "I don't come from anywhere," when I asked him where his home was. He is a veteran of twenty-nine years in the Royal Navy, twenty-six of which were spent on active service in all parts of the world, and he is anxious for the day when every mine will be blown out of Maltese waters and he will be able to see his American-born son.

"It has been a difficult job keeping Valletta harbor open," Jerome said, "but the flotilla has been marvelous through it all. The men have labored under the most trying conditions, but they have kept their ships in tip-top shape and worked steadily night and day in all kinds of weather."

Sink U-Boats En Route

He didn't have to enlarge on that statement to convince me, for this ship was rolling heavily in an extremely rough sea and the men were having a difficult time of it putting out their cables and sweeping devices. Furthermore, this was a "good day," so to speak. It was bright and sunny, and there were no Axis aircraft to roar out of the clouds and spew machine-gun bullets and cannon shells at the sweepers as they plodded along scooping up the enemy's sea traps.

This particular sweeper, a veteran of operations in Russian waters, has exploded thirty-six Axis mines, and its proudest boast is that it once touched off thirteen mines in seven minutes. During its voyage from the Murmansk patrol area it sank one U-boat and shot down four enemy airplanes, "just to sort of warm up its guns," as Jerome put it. Her captain, Lieut.-Comdr. Andrew E. Doran, R.N., smilingly interrupted to describe these successes as "a bit of target practice for the boys" while en route to Malta.

"One of the ship's proudest moments," one of her officers told me, "came the day when she was chosen to lead in the first convoy of merchant ships to make the trip from the eastern end of the Mediterranean in more than a year."

Maltese Cheered

That happened last November when two American Liberty ships and British and Dutch supply ships followed the sweeper through the Valletta-swept channel amid cheers from the people of Malta, who stood on the island's rocky cliffs to welcome the convoy that was the first in a long series of convoys which restocked the island and made Malta's Christmas a merry one.

Now, just as we are doing today, the Malta mine sweepers are hard at work clearing the island waters. The channels long since have been opened, but there are hundreds of other areas studded with enemy mines, and all those eventually must be cleared. And you can rest assured they will be, for sweeping mines under cover of strong R.A.F. support, which keeps enemy planes away from the island, is a pleasant assignment for the brave little ships that kept right on working through the worst of the Malta blitz.

Prime Minister Smuts Prepares For Election

Indian Penetration of Natal Provides Problem

CAPETOWN (CP).—Assuring their own "united front" in the light of the forthcoming general election—now not expected till September—Prime Minister Smuts and Finance Minister Hofmeyer attended a caucus of the United party (Government), where it is believed a settlement was reached on the differences of opinion on the proposed legislation restricting acquisition of property in Natal by Asiatics.

It is believed there is now no question of Mr. Hofmeyer leaving the Cabinet, despite his strong views on the rights of East Indians in South Africa.

The Indian penetration of Natal, according to some parliamentary correspondents, had become a major political crisis. The Justice Broome report, tabled in the Union House of Assembly, stated Indians were buying property in and around South Africa's east coast city of Durban on a higher scale than ever before.

The New Order group in the South African Parliament, led by Oswald Pirow, has announced that none of its members will offer themselves as candidates in the forthcoming Union or provincial elections.

Reconstruction Plans

It is understood the Prime Minister has decided to create a Ministry of Reconstruction in the near future. He will not for the time being add a minister, but will entrust the work to Commerce and Industries Minister Sydney F. Waterson, up to recently High Commissioner to London.

In the immediate post-war period the new ministry will be endowed with considerable executive powers and financial resources and will be South Africa's most important department of state. In the meantime the ministry's important function will be to keep in close touch with international developments so that South Africa's own plans can be co-ordinated with the world trend.

Natives and Problems

Minister of the Interior H. G. Lawrence met organized opposition to the proposals for new colored (Negro) advisory councils by declaring that the majority of colored people wanted councils. He said he would "not be stampeded by a noisy coterie that included both Europeans and Indians" (East Indians).

Graduation day at Forthare Native (Negro) University College attracted an unusually large gathering of people interested in natives' education and the advancement of the race. Two native students became masters of arts, one a bachelor of laws, thirty-six bachelors of arts, eight bachelors of science and one bachelor of economics.

Welcoming the Governor-General of Portuguese Angola, Commandant Defreitas Morna, who with his wife arrived as guest of the South African Government, Prime Minister Smuts said: "Acts of our pioneers will no longer carry us forward but in the fulfillment of the co-ordinated needs of modern civilization which are rapidly conquering the former dark continent there are far-reaching possibilities in good neighborly relations."

Significant South African wartime achievement is the design and manufacture of radio direction-finding equipment in the Union. The man responsible is E. T. Price, president of the South African Institute of Electrical Engineers. The new invention combats leakage of information by radio transmitters difficult to locate.

Parents of Boys Who Fled From Norway Punished

LONDON.—Reports from Oslo, Norway, tell of the arrest and imprisonment of parents of boys who have fled from Norway to join the armed forces of the Norwegian Government in Allied countries.

Wartime Street Cleaner Likes Her Job Better Than Anything Else

Street Sweeper of Soho Discusses Her Work and Interesting People She Meets

By DENISE DALTROFF
(Canadian Press Staff Writer)

LONDON (CP).—In wartime Britain women do everything from shipbuilding to street sweeping. As you watch them sometimes at laborious, crude work, you wonder how they feel about it.

In Soho, peacetime home of quaint foreign restaurants and European shops, plump Florence Sharp was discovered plying her trade as street sweeper. She was induced to go before the microphone and tell how it felt to be a woman working at what one time was essentially a man's business. In her narrative she told how she "liked road sweeping better than anything else" she ever had done before her husband was killed in a pub during an air raid.

It also developed within her a homey philosophy. She notices things about people and life that she had never realized before. "You see life on this job," she said thoughtfully. "You really do. You see how people are happy and you see how they are sad and miserable. You see everything that's going on in life."

"Take the old ladies. They're all very nice to us, although I must say they are a bit queer sometimes. I had one old lady come up this morning and she just stood there and roared with laughter. I said 'What the matter with you?' She just stood there and laughed. I don't know what there was to laugh at, I'm sure."

"Sometimes people come up to us and say 'What lovely work you do. We're proud of you' and pat you on the back. Then they say 'Won't you have a drink?' Lots of people are very rude . . ." said Florence.

"We watch different people every day. We watch the funny side of them all right. You get every nationality in the world in Soho. We see fights and rows and people locked up. It's very interesting round there really, especially when the pubs turn out. And all the time you feel you're doing something for your country. You feel you're helping in some way."

And if you think romance disappears in the street-sweeping business, listen to what Florence says about her private life:

"Lots of fellows who have met me on my beat want to marry me. . . . I could have been married hundreds of times. . . . But I've lost interest in men since I lost my husband. . . ."

AFTER BRITISH BOMBS FELL ON TURIN, ITALY

Here is certain proof of the damage which British bombs are wreaking on Italian cities. The city is Turin, Italy's big railway centre, and the picture, Italian. No Italian pictures were published of the railroad yards, roundhouse, munition plants and factories which were also severely damaged by British bombers.

Pressure on Czechs To Offset Losses Of Bombed Factories

LONDON.—German war production men are bringing pressure to bear on Czechoslovak industrialists in the "protectorate" to increase their output to offset the losses of bombed Reich factories, reports reaching Allied circles disclose.

Special meetings of managers of armament works have been called in recent weeks at Prague, Brno, Prerov and Pardubice in the presence of the inspector of armaments for the "protectorate," the chairman of the armaments commission, Major-General Hernekamp, and others.

Pigeon of R.A.F. Bomber Command Given Sick Leave

Bronzey Cracked On 199th Flight

LONDON (UP).—This is the story of "Bronzey," the most experienced pigeon of the R.A.F. Bomber Command.

Bronzey has just been given sick leave and is temporarily out of action—but that's getting ahead of the tale.

Two and a half years ago, this pigeon enlisted in the R.A.F. when her owner lent her to the National Pigeon Service for war work. Her job was to be ready to take messages back to base in case of emergency, and she went along in a yellow metal cannister, which was her post aboard the bombers.

At first Bronzey flew in Wellingtons; then she graduated to four-engined Halifaxes. She traveled more than 160,000 miles and went out on operations 199 times. She was never air sick, not even in the most violent actions, when the pilot had to hurl his bomber around the sky to escape bursting ack-ack fire.

But the 199th time Bronzey flew out in a Halifax bomber, the plane ran into a particularly hot barrage over an important target in Germany. It was hit several times, but managed to limp home. However, as it landed at its base, flames resulting from the damage burst from the fuselage.

Bronzey, in her metal cannister, was trapped by the fire and her fellow crew members feared for her life. But when the fire was extinguished, she was found to be still alive, even though the cannister was slightly scorched.

Examination proved that Bronzey was suffering from shock and after the crackup she lost weight. So sick leave was prescribed. But her R.A.F. buddies are positive that Bronzey will soon be back as good as new for her 200th flight over enemy territory.

LONDON (CP).—Except in Italy and France, the work of the Salvation Army is still carried on in the occupied countries, General George L. Carpenter, international leader of the army, told a meeting in London.

Aid Sent by the Empire For the Soviets Makes Very Impressive Showing

Wide Array of Goods Forwarded by Many Parts of the Empire for Russia's Needs

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LONDON (CP).—Remarkable figures showing the extent of the help of Britain and the Empire in supplying Russia with essential requirements were given by an official of the United Kingdom Commercial Corporation, a trading organization backed by the British Government.

Non-military supplies placed through the corporation already exceed £50,000,000 ($225,000,000) in value and represents hundreds of thousands of tons of merchandise of all kinds.

The spokesman explained that within a fortnight of Germany's invasion of Russia, the corporation had become purchasing agent for Soviet orders placed through this country all over the world.

The list of goods supplied ranges from the smallest of tools to large, mobile, self-appointed electric-power generating units to replace those destroyed in areas devastated by the Germans or to supplement existing plants, raw materials from aluminum to zinc, and foodstuffs such as wheat or tea. Vast quantities of rubber and some 26,000 tons of tin have been dispatched, and consignments are still going forward.

Rubber and Tin

"Rubber is now being shipped in thousands of tons from Ceylon," the official said. "Cornwall is providing tin in substantial tonnages, and to meet an urgent request for industrial diamonds for Soviet war factories the corporation sent supplies by air to Moscow.

"The corporation draws on the varied resources of the Empire and other territories of the sterling area to meet Russian requirements. Wool is obtained from Australia, New Zealand, Syria, Iraq and Persia; metals like copper and zinc, ferrochrome and ferro-silicon from Canada; hospital tents and canvas from Palestine; mohair and tanning materials from Turkey; sisal and coffee from East Africa, and tea and rubber from Ceylon."

India, where the corporation has set up branch offices, is a major source for the supply of large numbers of goods for Russia. Jute, ground-nuts, tea, hides, shellac and tobacco are among the commodities now being supplied from India, together with a variety of manufactures ranging from cotton yarn to fire hose. One recent order alone was for 11,000,000 gunny sacks, and total runs well in excess of 45,000 tons.

Transport Lines

Goods are shipped to Karachi, and from there are sent by the overland route to the U.S.S.R. The corporation has been entrusted with the operation of the route between Nokkundi and Zahidan, together with its road connection via Meshed to the Russian East Caspian Railway.

The U.K.C.C. is also responsible for the elaborate road haulage system built up in Persia by which Anglo-American aid for Russia is transported from the Persian Gulf to the Caspian Sea. This task was assigned to the corporation within a fortnight or so of the outbreak of hostilities on the Eastern Front, when it was realized that Persia offered a relatively safe highway for supplies to Russia to supplement traffic via the northern ports and Vladivostok.

AUCKLAND, N.Z. (CP).—Historic Government House here, the northern home of New Zealand's Governor-General, is now a club for members of the Allied armed services and merchant marine.

Nazis Angered With Newspapers Of the Swedes

Complain of Their "Lack of Objectivity"

STOCKHOLM, Sweden.—Nazi press spokesmen are complaining of "the lack of objectivity" shown by the newspapers of Sweden in commenting on the anniversary of the Nazi invasion of Norway. Another complaint was against front-page displays being made of reported dispatch of Swedish maps from Finland to Germany. This complaint referred to the discovery at Haparanda, Swedish - Finnish border town, of military maps covering Sweden that were in a transit shipment addressed to the German Army. A bale marked waste paper burst open, revealing the maps, dated 1940. Swedish freight workers reported the discovery to the authorities, who are investigating.

Twelve Jewish wives of Swedish subjects resident in France have been deported and are now in Sweden. One of them is Ivan Hellstroem, Russian-born wife of the director of the Paris branch of the Swedish Ball Bearing Company, whose factory in the French capital is forced to work for the Germans on a round-the-clock schedule turning out military material, particularly submarine parts.

Disregarding the protection legally accorded them by their Swedish passports, the Germans told these deportees that "because of their race" they must leave for Sweden before April 1 or they would have to wear the Star of David and become subject to deportation to the East.

LONDON (CP).—John Perry, eighty-six, waited more than three years before venturing out in the blackout and his first trip cost him his life. He collided with another pedestrian, broke his leg and died in hospital.

Dutch Churches Again Send Strong Protest to Nazi Reichskommissar

Call Attention to Accumulation of Many Injustices Inflicted on the Country

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LONDON.—A bitter protest was recently presented by the combined Protestant and Roman Catholic Churches of Holland to Arthur Seyss-Inquart, the German Reichskommissar in the Netherlands, against the accumulation of injustices and the ill-treatment inflicted on the country by the occupation forces. This protest took the form of a letter of which a copy, smuggled out of the country, is now in my hands.

The signatories of this letter declare that they are compelled to approach once more the German Reichskommissar owing to the injustices committed against the people of The Netherlands. The churches, they say, both Protestant and Roman Catholic, by virtue of the mission which they have received from Christ, have raised their voices previously in protest when in matters of public life principles, having their roots in the Gospel, were being violated.

The churches now point to the increasing lawlessness, the persecution to the death of their Jewish compatriots, the fact that an outlook on life which is a flagrant violation of the Gospel is being forced upon the people, the compulsory labor service as a national socialist educational institution, the interference with freedom of Christian education, the forced labor of Dutch workers in Germany, the killing of hostages, the imprisonment of many Dutch subjects, including ministers of the church, in such conditions that an alarming number have already lost their lives in concentration camps. To this has now been added a slave hunt of young people who are rounded up and carried off by the thousands. Such act, the letter declares, constitutes a progressive violation of God's justice.

Joint Pastoral Expresses Grief

This protest to Seyss-Inquart was followed by two further important steps taken by the leaders of the Dutch churches. The Roman Catholic bishops in The Netherlands issued a joint pastoral letter expressing the bitter grief and deep anxiety of the people of the country at the harsh measures taken by the German occupation authorities and the sorrow and sympathy for the people felt by the Catholic Hierarchy. "We should be failing in our duty," the bishops declare, "if we did not raise our voice publicly in protest against the injustice to which so many of our people are subjected."

After declaring that they, in common with the representatives of the other Christian churches, had sent the letter quoted above to Seyss-Inquart, the bishops go on to say, "In these times of injustice and grief we are filled with compassion, particularly for those young people who are forcibly dragged from their parental homes and also for the Jews and our Catholic brethren born of Jewish people who have to undergo such great sufferings. We possess no temporal power. All the more do we exhort you to avail yourselves of the power which never fails in the end, namely the power of prayer to God that He may soon have pity on us and on the whole world."

The Dutch Reform Church drafted a declaration on similar lines. This was read from all pulpits of the Reform Churches at the end of February.

National Call to Resistance

Finally Queen Wilhelmina's Government in Great Britain published, simultaneously with these declarations in Holland, a national call to resistance in which perhaps the most striking passage is an admission that the Dutch Government and people failed to interpret accurately the signs of the times before the outbreak of the present war.

"For months," says the statement, "the German gang uttered wild threats against our people and our people did not understand. We continued to believe that things would not turn out too badly. We failed to take our precautions. We failed to organize our resistance. We failed to prepare ourselves for the hard and inexorable struggle which was to be forced upon us. Now we have awakened from our sleep."

The document refers in scathing terms to the action of the Germans who, in spite of their solemn assurances that students would not be put on forced labor, overran the colleges early in February in all the university cities, and dragged the students away. Not only students but other young men between the ages of eighteen and thirty were dragged from their offices and their factories.

The statement ends as follows: "Unless our people at last line up for the common struggle, the last inescapable battle, unless we resist, we shall die. He who hesitates is a deserter. He who still serves the enemy is a traitor to his country. We call on all Netherlands' subjects, men and women, to unite in general resistance. No Dutchman can any longer be in doubt where his duty lies. The Queen, the Government and the country demand every Dutchman's and Dutchwoman's determined participation in the struggle for the liberation of Holland."

Chain of Sister Towns to Aid In Difficulties

WORTHING, England (BUP).—A chain of sister towns around the world that would help each other in difficulties, is proposed by Mayor A. Chambers, of Worthing.

"The idea is that Worthing should get in touch with a comparable town in the United States, Canada, Australia and New Zealand—one in each," he said.

"I have approached the High Commissioners for the Dominions, and the American Embassy. All support the scheme.

"The High Commissioner of Canada has written suggesting the town of Guelph, Ontario, which wants to give a South Coast town a trailer kitchen. We have replied that a place like this, which is having attention from the enemy, would welcome one.

"I am hoping," Mayor Chambers added, "that the idea will develop. After the war we might extend it to Europe."

Teak From Scuttled German Ships Make Chapel Altar Rails

ROSYTH, Scotland (BUP).—The Chapel of St. Andrew's, in the Naval Dockyard at Rosyth, is truly a sailor's chapel—built by naval men of old ships steeped in naval tradition.

Twenty-five years ago German battleships that tried to beat the British Navy from the seas, came to ignominious end by scuttling when the Armistice was declared. The teak from these ships provides the altar rails.

The frame for the east window is an unknown ship's steering wheel found lying in the dockyard. The pews are built from the wood of other old ships, and the font is a ship's binnacle. All the work of building and carving was done by naval ratings and dockyard workers.

And in this chapel, with its eight stained - glass windows, there is room for a hundred worshippers. The shipyard workers use it regularly.

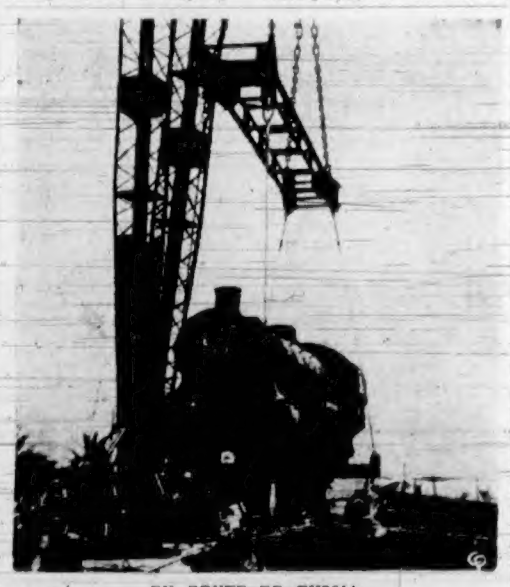
Germany Blocks Swedish Shipping

LONDON.—Ten Swedish ships have been blocked by the German Government from carrying out trade assignments involving South American raw materials.

British and American navicerts had been granted to the neutral vessels and cargoes, but the Germans, departing from their previous practice, withheld theirs.

THIS U-BOAT CREW HAS TO SWIM FOR IT

This photo, made from the British corvette Dianthus, shows members of the crew of a German submarine swimming towards the ship after their U-boat had been sunk by the H.M.C.S. Assiniboine, background, in the Atlantic. The Dianthus picked up the survivors and two days later rammed and sank another U-boat which she had forced to the surface with depth charges.



EN ROUTE TO RUSSIA

That Supplies in Magnitude Are Flowing Into Russia Is Evidenced by This Photo Which Shows an American Locomotive Being Unloaded From a Lighter Somewhere at a Middle East Port, En Route to Russia.